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TWENTY-ONE CONVICTS ESCAPE AT SUGARLAND

SAW THROUGH IRON BARS WITH
TWO GUARDS ON
DUTY.

THREE ARE CAPTURED

SAWING STARTS SATURDAY AFT-
ERNOON—ESCAPE AT NIGHT.

SIXTY REFUSE OPPORTUNITY

In Same Room, But Will Not Take
Advantage of Chance for
Getaway.

Houston, Oct. 5.—Twenty-one convicts escaped Saturday night from the Imperial convict camp No. 1 near Sugarland by sawing through the iron bars of the bunk house while two guards kept watch over the imprisoned men. Sixty-one convicts in the same room refused to take advantage of the opportunity.

One of the fugitives, Allen Snyder, aged 19, was captured today in Houston. Charles Stevens, another, surrendered to the convict guards Sunday morning, and an unidentified convict was captured by them. The others are still at large.

Snyder said the work of sawing the iron bar was begun Saturday afternoon about 2 o'clock and was not finished until nearly 10 o'clock that night. A guard is kept in the bunkhouse with the prisoners until bed time, he said, and the convicts waited until the guard had left before making any effort to leave the building. Then one at a time they slipped to the upper berth from which the opening they had made gave them access to liberty. Silently they sneaked to the berth, cautiously watching the picket guard squeezed through the small opening after looking carefully outside for the outer guard, dropped to the ground and ran for cover. The first prisoner left at 10 o'clock, Snyder said, and so carefully did they work that the last did not leave the building until after 2 o'clock the next morning.

Those who escaped, the terms they were serving and crimes with which they were charged and the counties from which they were sentenced, follow:

Allen Snyder, Cooke county, felony theft, 2 years; Charles Stevens, Taylor county, burglary, 2 years; Grady Dye, Dallas county, felony theft, 2 years; Tom Murphy, Hayes county, burglary, 2 years; Rufus Delaney, Dallas county, burglary, 5 years; Ed Marshall, Dallas county, horse theft, 2 years; Henry West, Dallas county, burglary, 2 years; Street McCarthy, Cooke county, burglary, 2 years; Carol McCowen, Collins county, burglary, 2 years; James Corrish, Williamson county, horse theft, 2 years; T. Timberlake, Travis county, horse theft, 2 years; Ed Cobb, Fannin county, violating liquor law, 2 years; Scofield Polk, Collin county, horse theft, 2 years; Harold Crawford, Hartley county, burglary, 2 years; Marvin Hale, El Paso county, burglary, 2 years; Leo Underwood, Lamar county, bigamy, 2 years; John Harrison, Dallas county, felony theft, 2 years; C. J. Hicks, Hopkins county, horse theft, 6 and 2 years; Ernest Russell, Dallas and Hood counties, burglary, 5, 5, 5 and 2 years; T. C. Frank, Dallas county, burglary, 10 years.

All of the men who escaped were in the prison clothes they wear at the camp and the first thing they will attempt to get will be wearing apparel, to keep down suspicion, Snyder, when he was arrested, was still wearing the prison uniform.

CLARK WANTS DISARMAMENT

In Perry Centennial Celebration at
Louisville Declares Is Key
to World Peace.

Louisville, Oct. 5.—Speaker Champ Clark declared for international disarmament as the surest means of guaranteeing world peace in an address delivered at the closing exercises here today of the Perry Centennial celebration. He praised the valor of the American soldiers in the war of 1812 and declared the crowning glory of their heroism was the hundred years of peace which have followed between Great Britain and the United States.

The speaker incidentally referred to the Mexican situation and said that both President Wilson and former President Taft deserved praise for the spirit of forbearance displayed in dealing with the delicate question presented by the revolutionary troubles of the southern republic.

**New Haven Railroad Spends
More Money Than It Earns**
New York, Oct. 5.—The New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad during the year ended June 30, 1913, spent \$4,127,432 more than it earned. The annual report made public today by Howard Elliott, the new president of the system, explains this deficit and tells what has been done and what is in prospect to meet adverse criticism of which the railroad lately has been the target.

President Elliott says that while the

RATE CASES TO BE CLEANED UP

SUPREME COURT LIKELY TO AN-
NOUNCE IMPORTANT DE-
CISIONS OCTOBER 20.

RAILROADS PROTEST APPEALING

Say Law Does Not Allow Them
Enough Privilege to Go
Above Commission.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Rate decisions of high importance are expected from the supreme court on its first decision day, October 20, although the court has given no indications of its intentions.

Justice Hughes is expected to clear up the so-called state rate cases by announcing the court's decision in the Kentucky rate case involving rates on interstate commerce from Ohio river cities to distillery centers in Kentucky. It also involves the validity of the McChord act enabling the state railroad commission to fix reasonable rates on interstate business. The railroad contend that proper appealing commission's decisions is not allowed in the law.

He also may announce the court's decision in the Indiana rate case, involving the validity of class rates on freight between Indianapolis and towns in Indiana along the Vandallia railroad. The court is expected to decide the Louisville and Nashville rate-shipping privilege case. This has occasioned a bitter contest between Nashville on one hand, and Atlanta and other southeastern cities on the other, because Nashville shippers were allowed to unload grain from the northwest, keeping it in Nashville six months and reshipping on a through rate, while such a privilege was not accorded shippers in rival cities. The railroad defended the practice on the ground that it was necessary to meet competition on the Cumberland river.

The court also is expected to announce early in the term its decision in the long pending "intermountain rate case." This involves the long and short haul rates. On the ground that water competition required it, the railroads have given certain Pacific coast cities lower rates from eastern cities than has been given to intermountain cities, such as Spokane and Reno. In passing on the interstate commerce commission fixed rates over an entire zone as distinguished from fixing them from point to point. The validity of such a method of rate making is challenged.

The court has had under consideration during the summer and soon may decide a number of cases involving the validity of state laws. The Atlantic Coast line railroad wants the Georgia law requiring headlight of certain power declared unconstitutional. National bank stockholders are seeking to annul the national law allowing New York City officials to tax shares of national bank stock without deducting the indebtedness of the stock owners.

Commercial rate houses are attacking the validity of the Kentucky act using "an occupation tax" on individuals who report to the officials the standing of business firms. New York harbor sugar lighterage case, the Charles oil land case and the "book publishers trust" cases are others which may be decided on the first decision day.

WOMAN'S BODY FOUND

STRANGLER TO DEATH, DISCOV-
ERED ON PAIRIE NEAR
CHICAGO.

Thought To Be Body of Miss Ida
Leegson, Art Student—No
Clues to Murder.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—The body of a woman, her clothing torn to shreds, was found on a prairie near Argo, Ill., a suburb today. She apparently had been strangled with a heavy cord which lay near. There were no signs of a struggle near the spot where the body was found, but fresh automobile tracks indicated that the woman had been murdered at some distant place. The woman was about 35 years old and the police believe she was a Chicagoan. The clothing all bore marks of Chicago merchants. The body was found by Charles Kluck, a hunter.

The clothing apparently had belonged to a person of means. Cards and papers found among the woman's effects caused the belief that

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FRENCH PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION DELEGATES.



MR. TIRMAN MR. SAVY MR. DE PELLERIN DE LATOUCHE MR. ROGER SANDOZ
FRENCH PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION COMMISSIONERS

After having formally accepted the plot of ground at the Panama-Pacific Exposition that has been allotted to France four members of the commission returned to Paris before sailing Gaston de Pellerin de Latouche said they were ardent enthusiasts regarding the United States. The members of the commission are Albert Tirman, Alfred Savy, G. Roger Sandoz and Mr. de Latouche.

The commission, which represents the French Republic, took formal possession of the plot in San Francisco and then made a tour over the country, for three of them never had been before.

HARD ROAD AHEAD OF CURRENCY BILL

PARTY LEADERS STILL DIVIDED.
SENATE COMMITTEE IS
WORKING HARD.

SINGLE BANK IS FAVORED

Strong Opposition to Regional Reserve
Banks Makes Appearance—Wil-
son Wants Early Action.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Political Washington, relieved of the long drawn out consideration of the tariff, will focus its attention this week on the second of the democratic reform measures—banking and currency legislation.

Though the administration currency bill easily passed the house its pathway in the senate is admittedly full of obstacles. At present the senate banking committee has not yet begun consideration of the bill, intending for at least ten days more to hear prominent bankers and finance experts. Predictions at the capitol are general that for a month thereafter the senate committee will be at work on the measure considering numerous amendments. While there was almost unanimity of opinion on tariff revision widely divergent views are held by democratic senators on banking reform. A strong desire for a single bank with branches under government control instead of a regional reserve system of banks has made its appearance in the informal discussions. Other changes of a far-reaching character are being suggested, and generally it is regarded as doubtful if a bill satisfactory to the senate banking committee can reach the floor of the senate before the middle of November.

At the white house there is confidence that the bill will be passed this session, or at least before the statute books at any rate before the first of the year.

Wilson Will Welcome Improvement.
The president wants thorough consideration of the currency bill and any improvement that the senate can make upon the measure as passed by the house will be welcomed. His disposition, however, is to oppose strongly any undue delay, for he believes the revision of the banking and currency system is necessary to meet the commercial expansion which he expects will follow operation of the new tariff.

President Wilson believes a general decrease in the cost of living that will be felt by the people of the country is not dependent alone upon tariff revision but upon prompt reform of the nation's monetary system as well as a careful amendment of anti-trust laws.

The president's views of the effect is in accordance with expressions from Representative Underwood and other democratic leaders that, while reactions in some cases will not be immediate, the general benefits will not be apparent at once. Even though the tariff laws might bring many imports into this country at low rates or free of duty, the evils of price-fixing, under selling and other discriminations in restraint of trade might, in the president's opinion, defeat the fruits of tariff reform. Another essential to free competition, in the president's view, is freedom of credit. With the concentration of credit in what the president in his Chicago speech last January described "as an inner circle," even the benefits of tariff regulation and tariff reduction can be withheld from the consumer by stifling of enterprise.

Confidence in Tariff.
None of the administration leaders entertain the slightest idea that the tariff will have any adverse effect. On the other hand, in pushing forward the currency program they have pointed out that an elastic financial system is necessary more than ever now to meet a natural enlargement of business operations following the importation of foreign products at low duties.

As soon as the December session opens the administration will begin to center its attention on the anti-trust program. There is no intention at the white house to draft the administration measure. It is expected that the members of the house re-

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PRISON SYSTEM FORM OF SLAVERY

PRISON COMMISSIONER SO SAYS
AFTER WEEK OF IN-
CARCERATION.

IS WASTE OF HUMAN LIFE

Prisoners Lost Normal Use of Senses,
Tells of Inability to Remem-
ber Many Details.

Auburn, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Thomas Mott Osborne, chairman of the New York state commission of prison reform, after spending a week in Auburn prison as an inmate for the purpose of studying the prison system, ended his self-imposed term this afternoon.

Mr. Osborne was pale and tired and showed the marks of his ordeal, but he was enthusiastic over the success of his experience possible for an inmate to undergo aside from electrocution. He even committed misdeeds yesterday of sufficient moment to cause his incarceration in the "dunkroom" cells and he lay on his back in the prison jail from 3 o'clock yesterday until 6 o'clock this morning, his ration consisting of three gills of water and three slices of bread. Today he declared that this part of his experience took him into the "innermost circle of information." He is positive that the fruits of his week's stay in prison will be valuable to the commission.

"I am more than ever confirmed in my previous opinion," he said, "that the prison system is singularly unintelligent, ineffective and cruel. In many respects the material welfare of the convicts is well looked after."

"While it is not advisable for me to attempt to formulate any detailed criticism of the prison system at this time because I am tired and bewildered, there are one or two things that

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The Weather

WHAT'S THE USE OF
GOIN' TO SCHOOL
ANY WAY WHEN
A FELLERS SEVEN
HOURS LATE
ANYHOW!



Clear skies are predicted for today by Dr. L. Block, local volunteer observer, but he adds that he cannot guarantee fair weather to stick with us long. The rainfall last Saturday was another record breaker. The precipitation was 1.22 in the space of forty minutes at one stage of the down-pour.

Local Temperatures.
Readings of thermometer and barometer and record of wind passage for twenty-four hours ended at 9 p. m. yesterday: Maximum 85°, minimum 72°, barometer 29.87, humidity 85. Total wind passage 106 miles, the highest being 8 miles an hour, between 10 and 11 Saturday night.

Government Forecast.
Washington, Oct. 5.—Waco and vicinity—Fair Monday; Tuesday fair in south, cloudy and cooler in north, light south winds.
West Texas—Fair Monday; Tuesday fair in south, cloudy and cooler in north.

MODERN BLUEBEARD CONFESSES MURDERING FOURTEEN PERSONS

SMALL POX SCARE IS OVER

Sanitary Officers at Eagle Pass Send
Exposed Refugees Back Over
the Border.

Eagle Pass, Oct. 5.—As the result of the determined action of the sanitary authorities in sending back to Mexico more than two hundred persons previously exposed to smallpox, all danger of an epidemic is now believed to have passed.

A house-to-house search which was concluded this morning indicates that there are no suspicious cases on the American side, and a strict watch is being kept in the refugee camps to prevent the development of the disease.

Every person, regardless of nationality, must have physician's certificate of vaccination before being allowed to cross the international bridge, and the military authorities on the Mexican side are taking steps to segregate persons already afflicted and to vaccinate the remaining inhabitants of the city.

Conditions generally are considered much improved, and there is now little likelihood that the federal will arrive at Piedras Negras in one or two weeks.

Hundreds of refugees who came to Eagle Pass during the first days of the scare have been induced to return where there is an ample supply of meat and corn to feed them. Several hundred more have been sent into the Texas cotton fields, thus relieving the authorities of Eagle Pass of the responsibility of caring for them.

Two couriers arriving from the neighborhood of Monclova, report that Castro's reinforcements arrived in that city, and completed the garnison of two hundred men to evacuate. The city of Cuatrecasas again has been taken by the constitutionalists, according to the men, but this has not been officially verified. All hopes of saving the railroad line from complete destruction has been abandoned, as hundreds of pounds of dynamite were used to blow up bridges and rolling stock before the movement to prevent a complete destruction was started by the American officials.

Piedras Negras reports that the constitutionalists have checked the federal with a victory at Peyote have not been confirmed.

American Accused of Murder.

El Paso, Oct. 5.—G. M. Putnam, commander of the guards over the property at Elephant Butte dam reclamation project near El Paso, N. M., was arrested in Juarez today on a charge of having killed a Mexican near Eagle a year ago. He admitted having killed the Mexican, but was acquitted in the New Mexico district court. The father of the man killed by Putnam denounced the American to the Mexican police.

Messages dispatched to Secretary Bryan and several United States senators at Washington tonight ask their assistance in having the Mexican government release Putnam from American Consul Thomas D. Edwards of Juarez was in conference with the Juarez officials today regarding the incarceration of Putnam.

Diaz Remains in Europe.

Blairitz, Oct. 5.—General Porfirio Diaz, ex-president of Mexico, is still at Blairitz. It is said he will probably return to Mexico towards the end of the month. Recently he was summoned home by the Mexican war department for service in the army.

REPUBLICANS TO MEET

NATIONAL COMMITTEE WILL
CONFERENCE ON PARTY MATTERS
AT WASHINGTON.

Leaders Desire to Change Rules—Will
Take Up Southern Representa-
tion at Convention.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The republican national committee will meet in Washington Tuesday, December 16, to confer on party matters and to take any action which may be deemed advisable. Formal call for the meeting will be issued tomorrow. The meeting was decided upon at a conference of Chairman Charles D. Hilles and Secretary James B. Reynolds today.

The decision to call the national committee meeting resulted from repeated requests of republican leaders that an opportunity be given to revise the rules of the republican party. The political changes demanded are on the basis of representation from southern states at national conventions and in the method of electing delegates from states which have primary laws covering that subject.

Senators Jones and Cummins, representing neo-called conciliation committee by republicans, and progressives at Chicago last spring have been in communication with Chairman Hilles recently and have renewed the request of the party factions that the national committee take up the convention question at once. It is expected that the national committee when it meets in December will not agree to calling a national convention without protests from some of its members who claim that the committee itself has ample authority to make the necessary changes in rules and regulations.

An increasing number of republican leaders, however, which includes many of those prominently identified with party management in the recent past, insist that whatever changes are made should be authorized by a national convention thoroughly representative of the voters of all states.

LIST OF MURDERS COMMITTED BY SPENCER

One man and a woman, about fourteen years ago.
Policemen Pennell and Devine, twelve years ago.
First wife, killed near West Point, N. Y.
Two girls at Paw Paw Lake, Mich., last August.
On a girl at Lake Delevan, Wis., last summer.
One woman at Belle Island, Mich., last summer.
One man shot in Chicago this fall.
One old man shot in a south side park two months ago.
One woman shot and burned on the northwest side of Chicago last summer.
One woman killed near the Cook County hospital a few days ago.

HENRY SPENCER SAYS HE KILL-
ED MRS. REKROAT AND
THIRTEEN OTHERS.

MURDERS FOR MONEY

SAYS "EASIEST WAY" TO LIVE AS
DESIRES PROMPTED.

BLOODY SUIT CASE IN ROOM

Shows Revolver With Which Last
Victim Was Killed—Preparing to
Add to List When Caught.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—Mrs. Mildred Allison Rekroat, dancing teacher, who was shot to death at Wheaton, Ill., a week ago, was the victim of a modern Bluebeard, who according to his confession, had killed thirteen others in as many years. Henry Spencer, 34, arrested in a room near the south side levee district tonight, confessed that he not only killed Mrs. Rekroat, but that he had slain fourteen persons.

He was positively identified as the mysterious Mr. Spencer with whom Mrs. Rekroat left Chicago on the night she was killed. Mrs. Rekroat's blood stained rattle suitcase was found in his room as was also the revolver with which he said he had killed her. The police, while in doubt as to the full truth of Spencer's story, are confident they have found a wholesale murderer and that he will be proved to have killed at least several of those whose death he described in a long confession tonight.

Spencer's confession was so startling that it probably would have received no credence had not the bloody suitcase and the revolver confirmed at least part of his statement.

All his murders except two, he declared, had been for the purpose of robbery. The two police officers, Pennell and Devine, who were shot to death twelve years ago, he said he and a companion killed to escape being arrested.

"I intended to kill Mrs. A. J. Scofield, proprietor of the rooming house where I have been living," he said. "If I hadn't been arrested just at this time, I would have killed her."

Find Suitcase in Room.
Mrs. Rekroat's rattle suitcase, covered with blood, was found in Spencer's room and the revolver said to have been used was hid in a drawer covered with papers. Spencer was arrested in a rooming house near the south side levee district. A woman with whom he is said formerly to have lived told the police that on the night of September 26, Spencer came to her house. His shoes were covered with dust, and he showed a diamond ring resembling the one of Mrs. Rekroat. He also took a revolver from his pocket and removed an empty shell which he threw from the window.

Among the other murders Spencer is alleged to have admitted were those of Policemen Pennell and Devine several years ago.

"I met Mrs. Rekroat two months ago at a dance hall," Spencer said in his written confession, "right after she got a divorce from her first husband. I got acquainted with her about any trouble, nobody introducing us."

"After that night I saw her three or four nights a week for several weeks. She thought I was a farmer and would be easy pickings, so I tried to keep that impression with her."

Tells Story Uninterrupted.
The police said that Spencer was permitted to tell his story without interruptions for the case of Mrs. Rekroat. He said that his only purpose in killing Mrs. Rekroat was his only purpose in killing Mrs. Rekroat.

He told the police he had killed fourteen persons in all, ten since his release from the Illinois state penitentiary in September, 1912, and four previous to that date. Except in the slaying of Policemen Pennell and Devine who, Spencer said, were shot by himself and a companion named Murphy in escaping arrest for burglary, the killings were all for the purpose of robbery.

The police cannot account for all the persons Spencer claims to have slain. The only victim Spencer was able to name was Fannie C. Thompson, who probably is the woman he said he killed before he started on his killing career of murder.

Luman C. Mann, son of a wealthy family here, was tried six years ago for the murder of the Thompson woman and was acquitted after a long and sensational trial. The evidence against young Mann was circumstantial.

Sulzer's Counsel Ready To Proceed With Case

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 5.—Out of a mass of rumors, denials and contradictions regarding the Sulzer impeachment trial today there came this one confirmed piece of news—counsel for governor will be ready to proceed with their case when court convenes tomorrow afternoon. No further adjournment was asked. Senator Harvey D. Hinman will make the opening statement and perhaps the first witness, Louis A. Sarecky, the governor's former campaign secretary, will be called before court adjourns at 4 o'clock.

Both the senate and the assembly will reconvene tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock. The case and give him will meet and adjourn tomorrow. No cases will be heard.

The senate has no work of importance before it for tomorrow night, but the assembly may receive a communication from James C. Harrison, the former state employe now held at the Albany county penitentiary for contempt because he refused to answer questions asked him by the speaker.

"WITHIN FIFTEEN DAYS FROM THE DATE HEREOF I PROMISE TO deliver complete abstract of title showing good title in me for the land hereinabove described," did your contract to purchase real estate ever contain words similar to the above? If so, what did they mean? Conceding that they meant a merchantable title, we will ask what is a merchantable title, and isn't it a fact that what one attorney would find to be a merchantable title another would object to—it's the difference of opinions that makes lawsuits.

Doesn't it behoove you to demand a title which is acceptable by everyone, a title which you can deliver to your purchaser just like you were swapping horses, deliver the title guaranty policy, which is an absolute guarantee that the title is good; not that we are always right, but when we say the title is good, that word is supported by the assets of the largest Texas Company writing Title Guaranty Insurance.

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Spencer gave a clear account of the way he claimed to have tied up the Thompson woman at the time of the killing and his recital conformed to the evidence at Mann's trial.

No Way of Verifying.
The police are in doubt as to the possibility of establishing Spencer's connection with any of the other murders he claims to have committed. He said he had nothing to do with the killing with a hammer of Mrs. Emma Kraft in a hotel here two years ago. Spencer told his gruesome story calmly to Captain Halpin and a roomful of detectives and newspaper men. He said he never drank or smoked, nor has he the appearance of a drug victim, having a healthy complexion and clear eyes.

"I've been a thief all my life," he declared.
"I killed these women to get their money. I found it was the easiest way to live. It cost me \$400 or \$500 a week to enjoy myself the way I wanted to in these cabarets and dives, and the easiest and quickest way to get the money was to get some girl off by herself and kill her."
"Mrs. Rexroat was easy. She thought she was working me the same way. I was a farmer like her husband and could work me the same way. I let her think so. At first I was going to take her to Michigan and kill her there, but finally I decided it would be less trouble to take her a little way out on the car line and get it over in a business-like way. She thought we were going to be married. She came along just as I told her."

Details of Rexroat Killing.
"When we got out at the station it was nearly 8 o'clock. We turned around and walked down the track until we got where it was dark. I took her by the right arm, pulled out my gun and shot her through the head. Then I laid her on the railroad track so she would be 'tore up.' I took what few dollars she had and her diamond ring. I opened her suitcase and dumped her stuff out of it and brought it back to Chicago with me. I took the next train back about ten minutes after I shot her."

"I didn't want the ring. I never go to pawnshops, that's the way people get caught. I gave the ring to a girl, just a common girl I met on the street. She went to New York Tuesday or Wednesday."

Spencer said he had married four women, killing the first one near West Point, N. Y. He didn't know exactly how many years ago. One wife is still living in Detroit, he said, and another in Chicago.

Spencer gave details of his alleged murders at the Wisconsin and Michigan resorts, where he said he had spent most of the summer as a hotel thief, committing an occasional murder.

"I killed the girls at Paw Paw Lake for their money and rings," he said. "One of them one time let me see that she had some money with her and so I shot her and sank her body out in the lake. The other girl I killed in the same way, but she did not have much money. The girl at Delevan

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Lake I shot with the same gun with which I killed Mrs. Rexroat.
"When I got back to Chicago I met a man one night who looked as if he had money. I shot him in an alley on the south side levee. He didn't have much money, but enough to go to a hotel for a few days, and there I met another man, an old fellow, who said he was a broker. We got friendly and he let on to have some business and a lot of money. He looked like money. I was disappointed in that fellow."

"I got him to take a walk with me late one afternoon in Jackson Park and I shot him and went through his pockets. He told me he had a lot more than I found. I pulled him into a swampy place where they were dumping. The papers had a lot about it and called it a case of suicide."
"Another case the police called suicide was that of a woman I killed on the northwest side. I killed her with a hammer, tore up her clothes and set fire to them. The last woman I killed was a few days ago, two blocks west of the county hospital. I put her to death with a hammer. She had two rings and \$200. This murder was done with the hammer the police found wrapped in a towel by the railroad tracks. They thought the hammer was something to do with the Rexroat murder."

Spencer said he killed three women, including Mrs. Rexroat, with the revolver the police found in his lodgings. He said he bought it a month ago after his other weapon refused to work. He claimed to have held up many of the restaurants which recently have been robbed by highwaymen here.

Tells of His Spendings.
"Why I spent \$300 in two nights in 'Charley West's' last week he knows. I cost a lot of money to hold up your ends in these cabarets. I average two jobs a week all the time I'm out of jail."

Spencer said none of the jewelry he had taken from his victims ever would be recovered. "I never go into pawnshops," he said. "When I sell any of it, it is to some private person, may be on the street. I don't know their names. A lot of it I gave to girls."

The police doubt that Spencer committed the large number of murders and holdups to which he lays claim, but are convinced he is guilty of many of them and probably is the most dangerous homicidal maniac ever captured here. The man's jail record extends from his boyhood. He accounted for his immunity from trial for murder by saying that he would get apprehended for some minor crime and would take a short sentence and while he was in jail the murder mystery would be shelved and forgotten.

An attempt to kill the family of Mrs. Spencer characterized as one of his "failures." An old man and his wife were found by firemen tied in their beds in their apartment four months ago, when two children lay in an adjoining room. The flat was on fire and the occupants were taken out with difficulty. The man, 68 years old, had been shot twice. All recovered.

Spencer said he had shot the old man when he was caught robbing the flat and had set fire to the flat to cover up the crime.

The entire list of crimes confessed by Spencer will be investigated by the police who will check up how far the man's account is correct.

Murders While on Parole.
His coldly planned murder of Mrs. Rexroat and nine other killings of which he boasts were committed while he was on parole from the state penitentiary for highway robbery.
He was paroled to Major M. A. Measles of the volunteers of America, and a short time afterwards he was set at liberty by visiting Captain Halpin and asked him to get him a job. Halpin obtained employment for Spencer but the man held the job only two weeks. As soon as Halpin knew that a man named Spencer was wanted for the Rexroat murder he was practically certain for whom to look.

Drawl Shows Abnormality.
The abnormality of the prisoner was apparent in only one detail if at all. That was his drawl. It was the slow speech of one whose mental processes are not definite. His memory seemed nebulous not only as evidenced by his speech but by his inability to recollect details of his crimes. His whole manner of telling his story with its vagueness of details indicated as he admitted that he was addicted to opium.

For the most part those who hear his story had difficulty in reconciling the self-proclaimed young man—he is 32 years of age—with the moral monstrosity he pictured himself to be.
Two missing women whom the police believe may have been the ones killed by Delevan Lake, Wis., and killed are Laura E. Voss of Lake Geneva and Mrs. Margaret Whitcomb of Three Rivers, Mich. Both were reported as missing during July and the Chicago police were appealed to in each case. No report of their being found has ever reached the police.

Mrs. Rexroat was murdered on the night of September 24 by being choked and shot. Her body was then placed on the tracks of the Elgin-Joliet and Eastern railroad. She was lured to the loneliest spot in Dupage county, believing that she would meet a class of young men and women to whom she would teach the tango. The crime was discovered by Robert Rohel, an engineer whose train ran over the body. Then began a search that resulted in numerous arrests but apparently left the police no nearer a solution up to the arrest tonight.

Everett Rexroat, son of a wealthy Macon, Ill., farmer, and husband of the murdered woman, was placed under nominal arrest, but was exonerated the first day of the inquest when he established an alibi. The search then centered on a mysterious Mr. Spencer with whom Mrs. Rexroat was believed to have left the city and who was thought to have been infatuated with her. Numerous Spencers were arrested but all released.

The murderer's name, if it is ever known, for he says he does not know it, will be ranked by the police with those of H. H. Holmes, of "Holmes Castle" notoriety, who confessed to

twelve murders and was suspected of a total of twenty-seven, and Johann Hoff, who admitted four murders and generally was considered a guilty of many more. Holmes, many of whose murders were committed in the "Castle" in Chicago, was a forger, bigamist, incendiary and swindler. Hoff married women and killed them for their insurance. With Spencer murder was the commonplace accompaniment of robbery.

"Is your name really Spencer?" a reporter asked.

"Oh no, not any more than any other name. I never knew my parents and never knew my name except Harry," he replied.

First Remembers Reform School.
"The first I remember I was in a reform school at 'Fehhanville,'" he went on. "That is my first recollection. They may have a record of my real name. I ran away from that school and was never found out. From that time on I lived with thieves and bad women. I never knew a good man or a good woman in my life."

His first prison term shortly after running away from the school. A man sold me a suit of clothes for a nickel—that's how it started. I knew the suit had been stolen, but it did not impress me as anything serious. The very next day I walked right into the shop from which it was stolen and I was surprised when they arrested me. The prosecution and the judge wanted me to plead guilty and take a sentence of thirty days, but my lawyer said no. He said fight it out, so I pleaded not guilty."

"What do you suppose I got? I got ten years, and if there was any good in me that killed it. Ten years for a suit of clothes."

He served the full term. I had about two years good time coming to me, but I lost it."

Mistreated in Prison.
"They strung me up by the arms and they starved me; they put me in solitary confinement, too. I think it was the solitary that really got me. When I came out I was a different person. I wanted to kill people and see it run. They gave me \$10 when they turned me loose and eight of that I spent for a revolver. I have been killing people more or less ever since. I was in a way; when I robbed anybody it was a sort of satisfaction to clean up the job by shutting up the victim's mouth forever."

Joliet the murderer was known as Smith, as Harko, and by another name, he said. "I took the name Spencer when I got out last time. It was another ten year sentence but I got three years off for good behavior explained the prisoner."

"Spencer" fitted the police description in details but in general appearance he looked much slimmer than the word pictures given out to assist in trailing him.

"If I had been him behind a cash-register in a bank or selling silk over a counter, I wouldn't have thought him unfitted for the part," said a detective. "That's where you expect to see a man of his appearance. He doesn't look like a tough."

Notice to Water Consumers.
Water rents for the October quarter are now due and payable at the office of the Waco City Waterworks and at the city hall. Fifteen days from the first are allowed in which to pay. Please come in before the last day and avoid the rush. After the 15th remember the penalty.

WACO CITY WATERWORKS.

PRISON SYSTEM SLAVERY FORM

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It may be well to mention while they are fresh in mind.

Is Form of Slavery.
"First, the prison system is a form of slavery. The great truths enunciated by Lincoln and others against slavery are equally applicable to prison slavery. It takes from the convict his own initiative and freedom of action and he becomes an irresponsible automaton unable to guide his own destiny when he returns to the outside world."

"As one instance of the unintelligence of the system, there is an attempt to deprive prisoners of the normal uses of their senses of sight and speech. After seven days of marching and counter-marching I am utterly unable to tell you about the appearance of the men of my company and can only describe the bare left hand neighbor. Whenever my left hand neighbor is in front of me, I wish to get his portion of sugar for porridge, he would simply pass it over to me and utter 'thank you' in the softest undertone. To learn to speak without moving the lips and to catch sounds of words so uttered is one of the first things a new convict tries to acquire."

"Another unintelligent aspect is the way the system inevitably tends toward making punishment for small offenses the same as for great offenses. There is no difference in an offense of a man who speaks above a whisper and the man who tries to kill the guard with a crowbar. Both are treated to the punishment cell a glimpse into the lowest circles of hell."

Waste of Human Life.
"There is a frightful waste of human life and energy. There is such awful waste in the utilization of the prisoners of reformation. Realizing the considerable number of degenerates and other undesirable citizens included in the ranks of the prisoners, I was amazed at the amount of splendid courage, fine feeling and neighborly interest displayed by the inmates toward each other. What a cruelty it is to forbid a man to write more than one letter a month. Think of it! He has been, perhaps, carried away from wife and family and is full of sympathy. He is plunged into this strange and lonesome prison world and there, by a refinement of cruelty, he is denied the privilege of writing. What is gained by such restrictions?"

"I hope to translate these experiences into something of great value to convicts, to myself and to the people of this state."

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HARD ROAD ON CURRENCY BILL

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diciary committee and the senate committee on interstate commerce will confer early with President Wilson and discuss the subject. Informally, The president hopes that before the anti-trust bill is launched in the two houses there will be a common agreement on it in the committee.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

EDITOR DEXTER OF BANKER'S JOURNAL

Stricken Ill on Return From Europe, Would Now Tell World of Vitalitas.

Editor W. W. Dexter of the Texas Bankers' Journal, published in Houston and read there by America, was stricken recently on his return from Europe. He, with Editor Clarence Ousley of Fort Worth, were the Texas representatives on the commission sent by this government to Europe to study foreign banking and financial methods. The trip was four months of mingled business and pleasure, which included receptions by even kings and queens.

On his return to Houston August 1, Editor Dexter suffered a physical collapse in the form of a bilious fever. For three days and nights he vomited almost continuously and his strength then greatly diminished, gradually ebbing until his life was despaired of. Various treatments were abandoned and at length the new earth fluid, Vitalitas, was employed. Regarding the result, Editor Dexter is here quoted: "I would like to tell the whole world of this wonderful earth elixir. It saved my life. My turn for the better began when I started taking it. Poisons seemed to work out of me and new strength came to me. I began to sleep and eat. Now I am a well man. I am 62 and have never felt better. No praise is too strong for Vitalitas."

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BANDITS SURROUNDED

CHINESE TROOPS THREATEN KIDNAPERS OF MIS-SIONARIES.

Americans and Norwegian Men, Women and Children Are Held Prisoners.

Hankow, Oct. 5.—Four thousand government soldiers surrounded the town of Tsao Yang, where a number of American and Norwegian missionaries are in the hands of Chinese bandits. Official telegrams received today at the office of Gen. Li Yuen Hang vice president of the republic, reports an attempt by bandits to escape from the city. On Thursday evening they opened all the gates and tried to escape through the strong government cordon, but failed. Desultory fighting ensued for several hours and the bandits retired within the walls. Two hundred bandits and eleven soldiers were killed. One report estimates that the bandits number 1,000, all well armed. Skirmishes are occurring daily.

Legation Fears Consequences.

Peking, Oct. 5.—The American legation fears the consequences of the fighting which already has occurred between government forces and bandits at Tsao Yang, in spite of the instructions issued at Peking.

The government has telegraphed Ssang Fu authorities to offer liberal rewards if all the missionaries at Tsao Yang are recovered alive. No official news has been received here regarding the missionaries' fates. Edward T. Williams, the American charge d'affaires at Peking, notified the state department at Washington today that the legation had not learned the nature of the brigands' demands.

J. P. Jameson, American vice consul general at Shanghai, has informed the legation that one of the foreign women was injured. The captives, according to latest reports are Rev. Geo. Holm, wife and son and Miss Sather, Americans; Miss C. L. Rasmussen, Mr. Berdahl and Rev. H. Fauske and wife, Norwegians. The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fauske was killed.

JAMES W. ORAND IS DEAD

Prominent Business Man Succumbs to Heart Affliction—Two Weeks Ill.

James W. Orand, vice president of the Herick Hardware company, and one of the most widely known business men of the city, died at his residence, 1512 Columbus street, at 10:30 o'clock last night.

Mr. Orand has been in failing health for more than a year, but it was not until two weeks ago that he was compelled to take to his bed and relinquish the active life he loved so well. He suffered from an affection of the heart, which was the immediate cause of death.

Came to Waco As a Boy.
James W. Orand was a conspicuous figure in the business world of this section. He delighted in promoting and upholding the interests of Waco and was highly esteemed for his many excellent qualities by all who came in contact with him. He was a refined, courteous and successful business man. Mr. Orand was born in Woodbury, Tenn., 52 years ago, but came to Waco first when he was a small boy. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Mrs. R. O. Walton of Ballinger, Bruton Orand, Miss Nellie Orand and Miss Frances Orand. The funeral arrangements will be made today, the details to be directed by Layton C. Luckett's establishment.

WOMAN'S BODY FOUND

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she may have been Miss Ida Leegson, who formerly lived at the home of W. K. Morris in this city. Miss Leegson, according to Mrs. Morris, boarded at their home during the summer while she was a student at the art institute. Fitzpatrick as athletic trainer at the University of Michigan. In selecting him for the position of head athletic director the German Olympic committee made no mistake. As athlete and trainer Kraenzlein has had an excellent record and the Olympic games will not prove a strange field, for he won four firsts for the United States at the Paris meet in 1900.

Miss Leegson Missing.
Mason City, Iowa, Oct. 5.—Miss Ida Leegson was employed here as a teacher in the grade schools from September 1 to 29, when she asked the board of education for release, saying she had another position. She left the city last Monday night. She came here from a Chicago teachers' agency.

KRAENZLEIN A GREAT TRAINER

Goes to Germany to Take Charge of Olympic Corps of That Country.

New York, Oct. 5.—Alvin E. Kraenzlein, who recently sailed for Germany to take charge of the German Olympic training corps which will prepare the German athletes for the games to be held at Berlin, is the second American trained athlete to assume such a position. Like Ernie Hjertberg, who prepared the Swedish team for the games at Stockholm in 1912, Kraenzlein was born abroad and came to this country in his youth. He attained athletic prominence in Milwaukee while still in his teens. As a student at the West Division high school he was looked upon as a youthful phenomenon. As an example of his ability he is credited with 100 yards in 10 2-5 seconds, considered a remarkable performance in 1897. From the Milwaukee high school he entered the University of Wisconsin and later left the Badgers for the University of Pennsylvania.

It was while a track team candidate there that he came to the notice of the famous trainer, Mike Murphy. The latter realized that Kraenzlein possessed athletic ability of unusual calibre and proceeded to give him personal attention and coaching. As a result the young German developed into one of the best intercollegiate track and field champions that ever carried the 'varsity colors to victory. Possessed of a great stride and spring he soon proved to be the leading sprinter and hurdler of his day. Kraenzlein was at the height of his athletic career in 1900 when he scored eighteen points for Pennsylvania at the intercollegiate games by winning the 100-yard dash, 120 and 220-yard hurdles and second place in the broad jump.

Kraenzlein was the first broad jumper to pass the 24-foot mark and at one time held seven world's records. Although he specialized in sprints, hurdles and broad jump he would have proved a splendid all-round athlete had he tried for that title. He cleared six feet in the high jump; threw the discus to within a few inches of the records, and ran the quarter under fifty seconds. After completing his active athletic career he followed in the footsteps of Mike Murphy and turned trainer.

After several years at Mercersburg academy and Harvard grammar school, Kraenzlein succeeded Keene Fitzpatrick as athletic trainer at the University of Michigan. In selecting him for the position of head athletic director the German Olympic committee made no mistake. As athlete and trainer Kraenzlein has had an excellent record and the Olympic games will not prove a strange field, for he won four firsts for the United States at the Paris meet in 1900.

RIVER'S BED IS PATCHED.

Blanche Has a Habit of Losing Itself in Meles.

(Martindale, Tex., Dispatch.)
It has been found necessary to put another patch on the bed of the Blanche river. This stream has a remarkable way of losing itself, and in order to restore it to its surface channel a concrete patch has been placed upon the holes through which it disappears.

For many years it has been emptying portions of its flow into small holes in its bed, but it was not until about a year ago that the entire bottom, so to speak, dropped out at a point near San Marcos.

In one night the river below that point went dry. It had had a width of nearly 200 feet and was flowing a strong current until the sudden disappearance of the water. This drying up of the stream meant heavy losses to persons dependent upon it for water supply.

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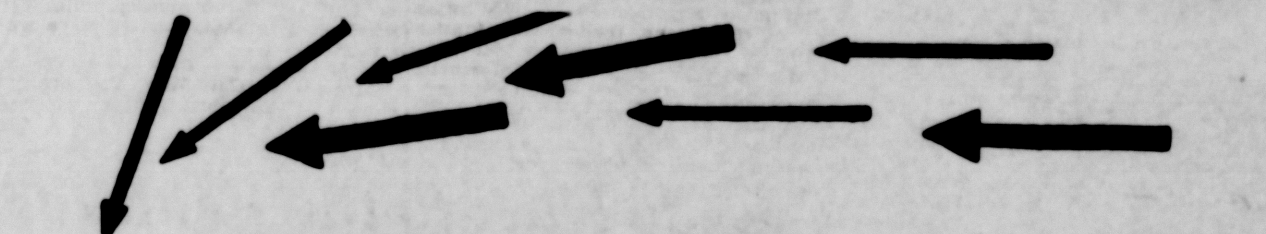
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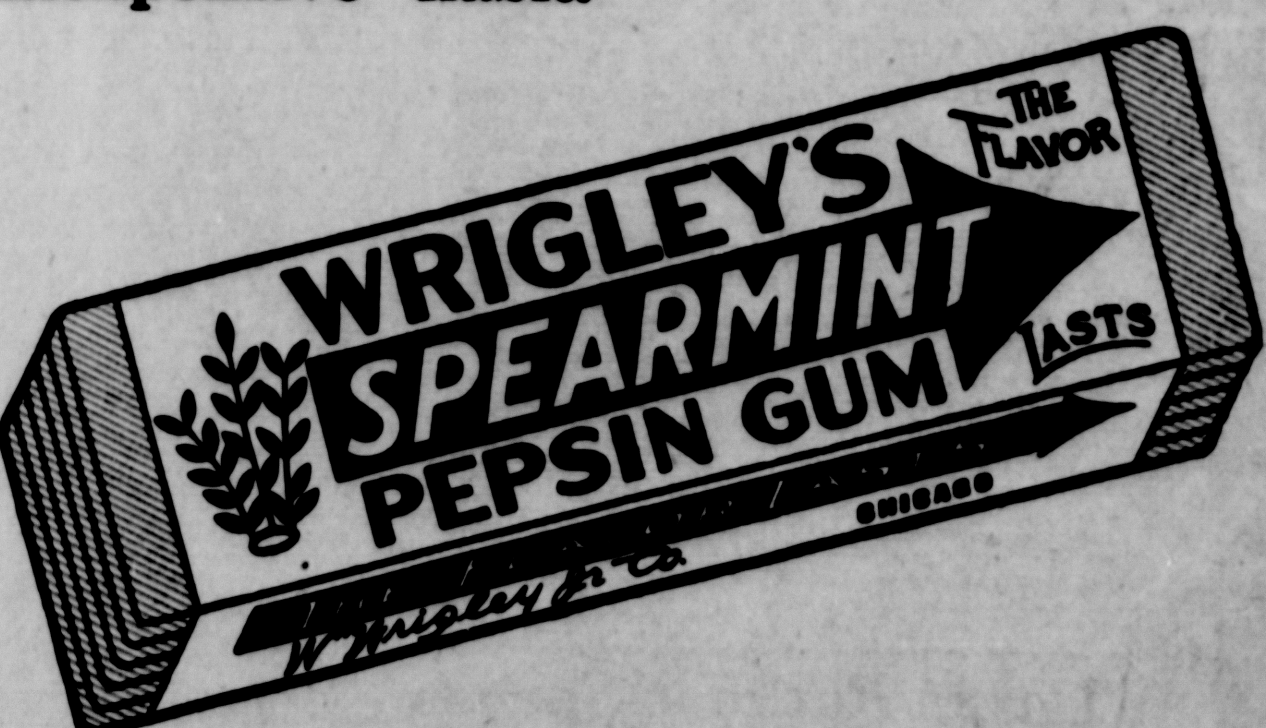
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RELIEF TO SOUTHWEST AGRICULTURAL AND LIVESTOCK DISPLAYS WILL BE COTTON PALACE FEATURES

STORM COVERING THIS SECTION MOVE NORTHEAST, IS FORECAST.

Temperatures to Drop Below Season's Average During First Half of Week.

Washington, Oct. 5.—A storm now covering the southwest will move northeastward, causing inclement weather in the great central valleys Monday and Tuesday and in the eastern states by Wednesday, the bureau's weekly forecast announced today. West of the Rocky Mountains generally fair weather will prevail until the latter part of the week, when there will be rains in the North Pacific states.

Temperatures below the seasonal average during the week over the Mississippi valley and district west thereof are indicated, the forecast says, with frosts over the plateau and Rocky Mountain regions, the middle and northern plains states and the upper Mississippi valley during the first half of the week.

East of the Mississippi valley temperatures will be near normal the first half of the week and below during the second half, with frosts in the region of the Great Lakes, the Ohio valley and the North Atlantic states.

The disturbance in the southwest will be preceded and attended by well distributed precipitation east of the Rocky Mountains.

There are no indications at this time of a disturbance in the West Indies.

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BELTON CONVENTION CLOSES

Central Texas District Sunday School Workers Have Successful Session.

Belton, Tex., Oct. 5.—The Central Texas District Sunday School convention which has been in session in this city since October 2, came to a successful close with union religious services at the Christian and Presbyterian churches, participated in by practically all the churches of the district. The pupils of the city were filled during the morning services by the well known Sunday school specialists who have been in attendance upon the convention. In the afternoon a boys and girls mass meeting was held at the Baptist church, which was conducted by Mrs. W. N. Higgins and Miss Nell Whitman; a mass meeting for workers was also held in the afternoon at the Christian church, and addresses were delivered by M. H. Wolfe of Dallas, state executive chairman, Sunday School Association, and also vice president of the Southern Baptist convention; and Dr. Frederick Eby, who took for his subject the theme, "The Boy and Girl." Mr. Wolfe also addresses the Sunday school of Baylor college this morning. Belton has entertained the convention in a most satisfactory manner, and all the delegates are loud in their praise of the hospitality showered upon them. Special credit is due Rev. E. C. Boynton, chairman of the executive committee, which has had all of the details and arrangements of the convention to look after.

Mr. Business Man, you are welcome at the Amicable Pool Parlor, 420 Austin street.

NATURAL GAS LINE TO TEMPLE

Will Be Different Company to One to Install Line From Mexico to Waco.

Temple, Oct. 5.—A natural gas pipe line between Mexico and Temple via Marlin is among the possibilities of the near future if negotiations that are now being carried on prove successful. The line will be a big improvement of the proposed Mexico-Waco line and will be welcomed by different people. The route as contemplated would touch Groesbeck, Thornton, Marlin, Leott, Oenaville and Temple in addition to numbers of smaller places. As soon as preliminaries can be arranged the promoters of the line, who own the gas well at Mexico with a daily capacity of eighty million feet, will visit Temple, Marlin and intermediate points for the purpose of securing franchises and right of way. The Chamber of Commerce has the matter in hand.

MOTHER! THE CHILD IS COSTIVE, BILIOUS

If Tongue Is Coated, Breath Bad, Stomach Sour, Don't Hesitate.

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Mother can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative" because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for grown-up children of all ages and for grown-up patients are on every bottle.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs;" then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled.

RELIEF TO SOUTHWEST AGRICULTURAL AND LIVESTOCK DISPLAYS WILL BE COTTON PALACE FEATURES

COTTON SHOWN IN ALL ITS FORMS, PLANTING TO MAKING.

Farmers Cordially Invited to Attend South's Most Unique Exposition.

The Texas Cotton Palace and exposition opens at Waco this year on Saturday November 1, and runs for sixteen days, closing Sunday, November 16, with sacred concerts by Ellery's world-famous bands.

One of the strongest showings at the Greater 1913 Cotton Palace will be the displays of agricultural, horticultural and livestock productions from over the state, showing the very finest in all these departments. Farmers, orchardists, cattle men, swine breeders, bee keepers, poultrymen and every one interested in such pursuits will be in attendance from all parts of the Lone Star State to view the extensive arrays of exhibits collected from the most noteworthy producers. Perhaps the most surprisingly interesting feature will be the displays of cotton in all forms from every clime, from the planting to the manufacture into cloth, then into garments before your eyes in the exposition building. Texas raises about 5,000,000 bales of cotton per annum. Waco is the center of the state, and really established the beautiful Cotton Palace to display the fleecy staple before the multitude not only of Texas, but thousands of visitors from other sections who are interested in learning all about cotton, its by-products and its capabilities of being turned into various articles of wear and things with which to cook and prepare substantial meals, as well as to feed and fatten stock.

The Texas Cotton Palace is an all-popular favor. With Texas the whole state over. The exposition has done as much as any other one factor in placing the possibilities of the Lone Star State before multitudes of people who have thus become interested in developing the state as a whole, after viewing the panorama of products of the varied sort as exhibited at the Cotton Palace, realizing that the soil of Texas is capable of producing anything producible. Many counties over the state have, with profit, exhibited samples of farm products from their section, and before the 300,000 visitors that assemble at Waco during Cotton Palace time have shown the extremely low prices of land compared to productivity and new blood has invariably been brought and come in to assist in developing the various sections represented.

The Texas Cotton Palace offers a range to suit every taste. When one has visited the splendid displays of farm and ranch products, the very latest exhibits of farm machinery and implements, labor-saving devices, etc., he can go through the million dollar auto display, also view the masterpieces in the art galleries, the exhibits of women's work, including textile, cotton, linen, etc. The Cotton Palace management this year has secured Ellery's world-famous band, which displays in the spacious coliseum, free to all the visitors. The Cotton Palace midway is a feast of fun and frolic, with a

vast array of carnival attractions, wild west shows, plantation scenes, etc., a monster roller coaster and Figure Eight and various amusement devices for the people's pleasure.

COTTON PALACE NOTES.

Old King Cotton and his loyal subjects will have prepared his beautiful palace for an unrivaled showing this fall and thousands will be here to see what he has garnered for them from Nature's bounteous storehouses. From November 1 to 16 the Cotton Palace will be a brilliant, festive scene, on the grounds and in the palace proper, in the coliseum and the subsidiary temples.

Gayety and pleasure will run rampant on the Warpath, November 1 to 16.

"Garnered from all parts of earth, Features funny, laughter, mirth, Frolic, folly a joyous feast, Music, merriment without surcease. Comedy kings, clowns, buffoons, Freaks of nature, apes, baboons, Tented wonders, wild west shows—Such a time goodness knows."

The parade pageants this fall during the Cotton Palace will be attractions supreme. No money or time will be spared in the decorations. The autos and floats will be the finest ever seen in Texas and will occupy processions miles in length.

The auto displays this year will be a very attractive one. The various dealers will vie with each other in showing their very best. This will be a million dollar Cotton Palace feature within itself. Do not miss this department.

The hotels of Waco are making ample preparations to handle the crowds with facility and comfort. The new hotels and the enlargement of all the others guarantee convenience and pleasure.

The sweetest music, with all its enchantment, will be dispensed during the Cotton Palace concerts this fall by world-famous interpreters, to thrill the souls of the multitudes. The Cotton Palace management secures only the highest class talent and consequently the coliseum is the mecca of thousands who delight to hear that which only a master-hand can reach.

The highest salaried soloists and vaudeville artists will entertain the people this fall during the sixteen days of the Cotton Palace. No expense is spared in affording the very best entertainment in all lines for the hundreds of thousands of Waco's visitors who come to enjoy the beauties and the various enjoyable features of the exposition.

The motordrome racing at the Cotton Palace motordrome will be the most thrilling sport ever witnessed. These contests, when speed is the only passport to victory, require the steady nerve and the utmost skill. The motors are made to do their utmost and if possible then some, and the riders are constantly playing for the most advantageous position. Indeed, there is nothing more exciting and daring.—Advertisement.

STATE EXPERIMENT EXHIBITS

Dr. Youngblood Promises Unusual Display for Cotton Palace and Dallas Fair.

College Station, Oct. 5.—Direct results of investigation work conducted by the experts at the Texas State experiment stations will be shown in a concrete form at the Dallas State Fair this year. The exhibit of the stations has been completed and will be sent to Dallas next week with H. H. Johnson, cotton expert, and R. C. Dickson of the main station farm in charge. Exhibits from the various experimental and administrative departments of the system and displays from the sub-stations will constitute the station's exhibit this year.

No pains have been spared in the preparation of this exhibit and Director Youngblood says that it will be far more elaborate than any previous exhibit sent out by the stations. It has been prepared for a permanent exhibit and with a few additions will be sent to the Waco Cotton Palace and to the National Corn Show at Dallas.

More than one hundred varieties of cotton will be included in the exhibit and a number of the hybrids that have been developed by the station will be featured. Charts, tables, photographs all will show the good ideas developed by the station workers. The authorities have endeavored to make the exhibit an exposition of the results obtained in the investigation and research work.

The feed control is preparing an exhibit that will be of untold benefit to farmers and livestock growers. The state feed inspector will be on hand at this exhibit to explain the difference between pure and impure feeds and will have samples of pure wheat bran and bran that is largely composed of screenings. Cotton seed, corn, corn chops, etc., will be handled in the same manner. The object of this feature is to teach the feeder the economical feedstuffs for him to purchase.

Results of Dr. G. S. Fraps' investigation in soil building and fertilization will be shown and the composition of feedstuffs and their digestibility will be indicated also by charts and tables.

An extensive exhibit on the production of hog cholera serum and the protection of hogs from that disease is another feature which will prove instructive as well as interesting.

All bulletins published by the station may be had from the bulletin booth, which is included in the station's exhibit.

The exhibit this year will be in the building occupied last year by the ornithological exhibit, and will be far superior to past exhibits.

THE PROPOSED CITY CHARTER

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the railway or street railway or concern operating a line of railway or street railway upon any street, alley or highway in the city of Waco, to keep such street, alley or highway thoroughly lighted with such character of lights and at such places and with such frequency, and for such hours out of each twenty-four as said board shall by ordinance or resolution determine and require; provided that no street railway company shall be required to place and maintain more than one light of the standard strength and power in use as street lights by the city of Waco to each mile of street operated on by said company. Said board shall have full power, within constitutional and legislative limitations, to designate or fix by ordinance or resolution to determine the amount of gas or electric current used by any consumer; and to enforce such provisions, may appoint such inspectors, make provision for their payment, quasi criminal and civil as are reasonably necessary to enforce an observance of such ordinance, and generally do all things necessary to guarantee to patrons correct and honest treatment and service. It shall be the duty of such gas or electric company to comply with any reasonable demands to furnish gas or electric current, and said board may pass such ordinances within constitutional and legislative limitations, further requiring the same as may be proper; provided that as may as three bona fide consumers to each block petition for extensions.

(Section 23 to be continued.)

Gas and Electric Companies Rates.

Art. 260. Said board of commissioners shall have full power, within constitutional and legislative limitations, to designate or fix by ordinance or resolution, any accurate device or method to determine the amount of gas or electric current used by any consumer; and to enforce such provisions, may appoint such inspectors, make provision for their payment, quasi criminal and civil as are reasonably necessary to enforce an observance of such ordinance, and generally do all things necessary to guarantee to patrons correct and honest treatment and service. It shall be the duty of such gas or electric company to comply with any reasonable demands to furnish gas or electric current, and said board may pass such ordinances within constitutional and legislative limitations, further requiring the same as may be proper; provided that as may as three bona fide consumers to each block petition for extensions.

An event of first importance in the present theatrical season is the appearance at the Auditorium theatre Thursday night of famous Julian Eltinge, star of "The Fascinating Widow." Julian Eltinge is the foremost impersonator of beautiful women on the stage today, and with his delightful musical comedy by the author of "Madame Sherry," has proved to be the reigning sensation in the east for the past two years. Star and play, under the capable management of A. H. Woods, have to their credit long and successful runs in New York, Chicago, Boston and other discerning amusement centers.

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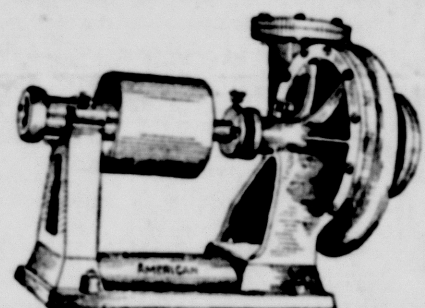
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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

National League.
St. Louis 4, Cincinnati 1.
Chicago 5, Pittsburgh 1.
Only two games played.

American League.
St. Louis 9, Cleveland 4-1.
Detroit 9, Chicago 8.
Only two games played.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	88	63	.584
Philadelphia	88	63	.584
Chicago	88	63	.584
Pittsburgh	88	63	.584
Boston	88	63	.584
Brooklyn	88	63	.584
Cincinnati	88	63	.584
St. Louis	88	63	.584

St. Louis 4, Cincinnati 1.

St. Louis, Oct. 5.—St. Louis defeated Cincinnati today 4 to 1 in a snappy game. The locals by timely hitting and superior base running in the first inning scored three runs.

Score—R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....000 000 0—1 6 1
St. Louis.....300 000 0—4 10 1
Brown and Blackburn; Harmon, Doak and Wingo.

Chicago 5, Pittsburgh 1.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—The final curtain of the 1913 National League season was rung down today, Chicago winning the last game from Pittsburgh 5 to 1. Manager Evers was the only regular player in the Chicago lineup. The recruits showed up well, both in batting and fielding, although the field was slippery.

Score—R. H. E.
Pittsburgh.....000 000 0—1 6 1
Chicago.....100 010 0—5 9 1
O'Toole, Cooper and Kelly; Kafara, Zabel, Stack and Bresnahan.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	86	57	.602
Washington	86	57	.602
Cleveland	86	57	.602
Boston	86	57	.602
Chicago	86	57	.602
Detroit	86	57	.602
New York	86	57	.602
St. Louis	86	57	.602

Detroit 9, Chicago 8.

Detroit, Oct. 5.—Chicago's weird fielding today enabled Detroit to win the last game of the season 9 to 8. The contest was a slugging duel and several infielders showed more bravery than skill in stopping drives which smoked across the diamond. Each team used two pitchers. None was effective.

Score—R. H. E.
Chicago.....000 041 11—8 15 4
Detroit.....000 010 000—9 15 1
Scott, Lathrop and Easterly; Comstock, Williams and Stange.

St. Louis 9-3, Cleveland 4-4.

Cleveland, Oct. 5.—St. Louis and Cleveland each took one of the last two games of the season here today. By a batting rally in the twelfth, St. Louis won the first game 9 to 4. After four and one-half innings were played in the dusk Cleveland won the second game 4 to 3. In the first game Blanding kept St. Louis hits well scattered until the ninth, when St. Louis made a rally and tied the score, winning the game in the twelfth. In that inning St. Louis made two singles, a three bagger and a hit batsman, which brought in five runs. Tomorrow the Cleveland Americans and the Pittsburgh Nationals open a seven-game series here.

Score—R. H. E.
St. Louis.....100 001 101 005—9 18 3
Cleveland.....000 010 000—4 10 4
Leverenz, Taylor, Weiland and Agnew; Blanding and O'Neil.

Second game—R. H. E.
Cleveland.....121 0—4 6 2
St. Louis.....200 10—3 5 3
James and Carisch; Brown and Agnew.

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EARLY WORLD SERIES TAME AFFAIRS

First Seven Games Played in Four Cities Brought in \$2,000—Bleachers Twenty-Five Cents and Boxes Fifty Cents—Fans Picked Seats.

New York, Oct. 5.—Box office receipts, barometer of interest in the world's series games, have soared to dizzy heights since the Providence and the Metropolitan clubs battled for the first world's championship in 1884. Staged in New York, the premier fight aroused little more than passing interest, was lightly attended and reaped so scant a harvest of receipts that the clubs never even published the figures. Some idea of what these have been is gleaned from the contest, the next year between the Chicago club of the National League and St. Louis of the American Association.

Seven games were played in four cities—Chicago, St. Louis, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati. The fight was hot, Chicago won three, St. Louis three and one game was tied. Such a situation in this year's fight for the pennant would result in tremendous box office receipts. Yet the entire seven games in 1885 yielded but \$2,000.

Those were the days when a seat in the bleachers cost a quarter and fifty cents provided the best seats in the grandstand. Even this modest admission seems to have kept many enthusiasts away from the games. Not only this, widespread enthusiasm was negligible in the contests. From their humble origin admission prices have grown to the density of \$2 for a box seating four down at the edge of the diamond in 1913. And a dollar is the least of bills that will admit one to the contest. This buys a seat in the bleachers' stand.

Fans Picked Seats.

Back in the infancy of the world's series the man who attended a game left his office at the usual hour for the ball game, sauntered leisurely through the runways to the field and picked out the most advantageous seat he could find. Generally there was plenty of picking. Nowadays he who must go begins to worry the moment that the day for the series is announced. He knows that he must be early on the spot on the morning of the game—else someone less tardy will crowd him out. The line forms the night before and surges into the field hours before the time set for the game. If he is late the game is not for him to see.

But the evolution from the days of empty seats to the roaring bleachers and the thundering grandstand, packed to capacity, has been gradual. In

1887 when St. Louis and Detroit fought fourteen games over the principal part of the United States—playing in nearly a dozen cities—the box office receipts climbed up to \$42,000. Three thousand dollars a game was considered big money. The next year the ten games played between New York and St. Louis brought \$24,362 to the box office. In 1894, first year of the Temple cup series, the average had risen to \$4,500 a game. Only four games were played that year, two at Baltimore and two at New York, and the total receipts for the series were \$18,000. In 1905 five games were played and the receipts fell to \$14,750.

There was no battle for the world's championship pennant between 1888 and 1902. In 1903 the National League and the American League pennant-winners began the world's series games as they are now played. One hundred thousand persons—colossal figures ten years ago—saw the eight games and paid more than \$50,000 for the privilege. There was no contest in 1904. In 1905, 91,723 persons saw the games; the price of tickets went up and \$68,405 was taken in. The low level came in 1908 when Chicago and Detroit fought for the flag. Sixty-three thousand persons saw the five games. However, they paid \$31,976. In 1909, 145,295 persons paid \$138,302 to see the games; in 1910, 154,222 persons paid \$173,980; in 1911 the contest between New York and Philadelphia was seen by 179,851 spectators who paid \$312,162 at the box office. This banner year was 1912. More than a quarter of a million persons saw the New York Nationals and the Philadelphia Americans decide the baseball championship of the world at the hands of the National Commission to put the last touches on the arrangements for the big contests. Garry Herrmann, chairman of the commission, and Thomas J. Lynch, president of the American League, already are on the ground and Ban B. Johnson, president of the American League, the third member of the governing baseball body, is expected early tomorrow.

The commission is to meet tomorrow morning to give its instructions to the umpires and clear up any points of uncertainty that may remain regarding the playing of the series. All then will be in readiness for the calling of play at the Polo grounds at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for the opening game of the four or more which will tell whether the world laurels of 1913 are to rest with the men under the tutelage of John J. McGraw or the land of Athletics guided by Cornelius McGillicuddy.

Distribution of the \$900 odd reserved seat tickets for the series at the New York grounds was under way today and the prized cards of admission will all be in the hands of those to whom they have been assigned by tomorrow. The greater part of these tickets have gone to baseball men throughout the country and to New York club patrons of long standing. Some 30,000 seats in the lower stand and bleachers will be available to the public at the grounds for each game of the series.

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LAST TOUCHES FOR THE SERIES

NATIONAL COMMISSION ON HAND TO STRAIGHTEN FINAL KINKS.

SEAT QUESTION IS TROUBLE

Better Handled This Year Than Before—Strong Fight Made Against Speculators.

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REGULAR SCHEDULES ARE CLOSED

Major Leagues Finish Season—All Interest Now Centers on "The Greatest Games of All." Plans for Next Year.

New York, Oct. 5.—Major league baseball for 1913 came to a close today so far as the regular schedules are concerned, with the playing of the season's final games in the west. The pennant races in both leagues were settled nearly two weeks ago and this week sees the start—and possibly the finish—of the world's championship series between the respective flag winners, the New Yorks of the National League and the Philadelphia of the American League.

Preparation for the "big series" practically has monopolized baseball attention for ten days, but several interesting contests for place have been going on among clubs in each organization. In the National League Philadelphia's title to second place was not seriously questioned. Chicago threatened at one time, but the Phillies, despite the bad weather at the end, won enough games to hold themselves safe. Philadelphia made a good fight throughout the season and just missed staying power enough to nose out the Giants. Chicago finished in third place with a good margin over Pittsburgh in fourth position. The Cubs under Evers made a better showing than many critics expected and their aggressive player-manager has good material for a start for better things next year.

The "brats" were a disappointment. Generally picked to be up among the dangerous contenders for the pennant, they got off badly at the start, and at no time were a potent factor in the race. Fred Clarke is not likely to rest satisfied with the team as it is and some changes may be expected when next season begins.

The Bostonians under George Stallings finished fifth, heading the second division. Brooklyn finished sixth, a notch above last year. The Superbas failed to make good their early season promise of landing high in the race. Cincinnati, with Finner at the helm, had to be satisfied with seventh position. The Reds' National Commission meeting tomorrow.

At one time it appeared probable that there might be a lively tilt over the announced determination of participants in the series to write articles for the press while the series is on against the expressed opposition of the commission. The managers of the series, however, have said within a day or two that the commission expects to take a reasonable view of the matter and intimated it would not trouble player-authors who did not deliberately defy it. What seems like a significant remark was dropped by Herrmann today when he was asked if there would any new developments in the situation as regards the writing parties.

I hardly believe that question will come up until after the series," he replied.

Mr. Herrmann did not go into the subject further, but the belief tonight is that there will be no such stir about the matter as seemed possible a few days ago. What difference if any the arrival of Ban Johnson may have on the situation, of course he is anticipated.

President Johnson for a long time has been a determined opponent of the player-author who lets someone else do his writing for him.

Church Has Baseball Service.

A unique preliminary to the series was a "baseball service" held at Grace Methodist Episcopal church uptown tonight. Many baseball men were present and letters were read, among others from John J. McGraw and Connie Mack. The latter, telling "why baseball is worthy of support," praised the character of its honesty and other characteristics.

"Baseball is a manly sport," wrote Manager Mack, "that brings to the surface the natural skill and prowess of an individual to a greater extent than any other game ever devised. Second, as conducted under organized lines, it is absolutely above reproach. It is a game which never can lose its popularity, never die as long as the American public retains its confidence in the men who conduct it. Organization of the lines which have brought it to such a high standard is absolutely necessary to maintain its integrity and popularity. May it ever remain our national sport, safeguarded by men of high principles."

John J. McGraw, manager of the Giants, said: "Baseball develops the mind, establishes discipline and gives to those who take part in it sound bodies and heads and a better sense of life. Most of my life I have been a participant and I know that everything in connection with it is for the betterment of those who participate in it."

Line Starts in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Oct. 5.—Men, women and boys are lined up here tonight in front of the department store where the advance sale of tickets for the world's series games to be played will open at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. First in the line, which before midnight extended for more than a city block, are two messenger boys, who took their positions early in the afternoon. Each had an empty soap box to sit on and a package of tissues. When the line was called to be relieved and will be the first to purchase the coveted pastebards.

Shortly after the boys started the line a negro arrived with a big rocking chair, in which he proceeded to make himself comfortable. The first woman to take her place with the would-be ticket purchasers arrived about 8 o'clock. She is

start was a poor one and though they played far better ball later they were never able to move up to a respectable position in the standing. St. Louis lost by nearly 100 points, never got to going well at all and played worse instead of better as the season progressed.

This year's series got an earlier lead in the American League race than they had in some seasons when they were pennant winners and the finish was easy for them. The Cleveland runners up for the greater part of the year, were beaten out of second place, losing their grip on the season's later weeks, while Clarke Griffith's Washingtons were grinding and making a strong showing. Griffith's ambition to land a flag were never nearer realization. There will be few to criticize the showing he has made with his team. There seemed to be something lacking at critical times with the Cleveland and third place occupants, as the final standing is computed, the club almost invariably slumping when the Athletics did and thus losing many chances to forge ahead of the Mack men. It took the last week of play to decide the fourth place contest, but the Red Sox won by a slight margin. Unfortunately last season's champions hard in the early months and their fall from their high estate of 1912 was one of the season's remarkable developments. The White Sox, although they acquired Russell, were without the services of Ed Walsh, their former pitching mainstay, for the greater part of the season and finished in fifth place, although with a percentage well above the half way mark.

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REAL ESTATE For SALE RENT TRADE REAL ESTATE

Real Estate For Sale.

Have you taken advantage of any of the bargains we have been offering in Real Estate? Property is moving and valuations are advancing rapidly. Buy now and secure yourself a quick profit.

Here are a few of our listings. We have many others to offer you, so if you don't find what you want here come up to see us.

Almost new 5-room bungalow, located in a most desirable neighborhood near Baylor, for only \$2500. Small cash payment, balance like rent.

8x165 on which is a 2-story home situated close in on South 5th St., cheap at \$2500.

A choice home of 5 rooms on Sanger avenue for \$2500; worth more; will consider a good lot as first payment, balance may be paid at the rate of \$20 per month.

Another bargain in a nice home on Sanger avenue is a well arranged 5-room cottage for \$2500, with terms to suit purchaser.

The beautiful little home on Gorman St. for \$2500; this includes all interest on deferred payments, which are easier than paying rent.

One of the best-built homes on Gorman street, between 15th and 20th, for \$2500. This is an ideal home and one that it is a pleasure to live in.

100x165 feet, east front, on Colcord ave. and 5-room modern bungalow; the price—well, anyone familiar with real estate values, after seeing this, will appreciate it as a bargain for \$2500.

Two of the most modern 6-room cottages that we have in the city, located on beautiful terraced lots, facing south, and the price is only \$2500 each; a small cash payment and the balance like rent, just like rent. This is an opportunity for the man of moderate means to own an up-to-date home.

Located on Lyle avenue, supplied with artesian water, gas, etc., we have a modern 5-room bungalow, which we can offer you for \$2500. The price is extremely low figure of \$2500; \$750 cash and the balance only \$15 per month.

6x165 feet east front, beautiful shade trees on North 5th St. and a well-arranged home of 7 rooms, large hall, grates, etc. This is a bargain.

One of the best apartment house locations in the city; 7x165 feet corner, just one block off paved street and car line. These lots have on them now two houses renting for \$25 per month. The price of the property is \$2500. If you are looking for an investment, you will find this a very good one.

One of the most homes on North 12th St., located between Austin and Jefferson, at a figure that will prove real interesting to anyone wishing a home on this popular street.

One of the most modern brick homes in the city, located on a big, elevated lot, in the western portion of the city, on a high terraced lot. If you are in the market for such a place, we will be pleased to show you this one. The price is \$2500.

Five choice lots on University Heights for \$2500; small cash payment, balance like rent. This is a bargain.

For a high terraced lot just opposite Waco Vista; this will prove a good investment; if you want to make money, this is your opportunity.

Nice corner lot in Waco Vista for \$2500. 100x165 feet on Colcord for \$2500. A choice corner lot on Gorman avenue for only \$2500.

One whole block on Provident Heights, \$12,000. Will consider some trade on this.

We have a fine block on Austin street, on which we can make you an interesting offer for the future. The price is \$2500.

200 acres first-class black land in the western part of the county, located near town. We will trade this land for Waco city property.

Last your property with us. We are in a position to secure you a good price for your property before purchasing elsewhere.

NATIONAL EXCHANGE INSURANCE
JAMES N. LEONARD
Manager Real Estate Department,
Thoroughbred Insurance Co.,
Waco, Texas.
Phone: Southwestern 74, Independent 75.

CHESBENT HEIGHTS ACRES.—On the lakefront, we have the best 2-acre tract yesterday. Have only three 3-acre tracts left, for \$250 each; \$50 cash, \$15 per month. You are just as close as on Provident Heights. Write Dr. J. H. Sweeney, Perton Realty Co., 105 S. 5th St.

I HAVE A CLIENT desiring a 5 or 6-room house, in north part of city, close in, has a nice bungalow and two good lots in best part of city to put in as first payment. The property must be worth the price asked. Will deal with owner only. P. O. Box 733, Waco, Texas.

For exchange, some first-class property for farm on Bosque; will take some ranch land, must be better than close to Waco, not more than 12 miles.

For sale or exchange, 7 lots on Herring Ave.; will consider small cash.

For sale, small 2-acre tract on Waco Vista; lot worth the price asked for Waco and lot.

Several farms to exchange for Waco city property.

J. FRANK ELMER,
117 N. 5th St.

LEAVE YOUR PROPERTY WITH US and we will find a market for you. Don't miss what you have for sale—if it is something of value—a buyer will be found for it. Advertising space you need not pay. Texas Trading Concern, rooms 2, 3, 4, Chambers Bldg., new phone 1869.

FOR SALE ON TRADERS' EQUITY in lot in Farwell Heights; add cash, easy payment or will trade for second-hand automobile. W. F. O. Arnold, new phone 301, old 125.

TYKE BONE & CO. real estate and fire insurance, new phone 1215, 203 Chambers Bldg. We have some splendid bargains in city lots, residences and farms of all sizes. Call and see us.

UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS LOTS.—Now assured of both sanitary sewer and water supply, which adds value to the value of this property. We have decided to sell a limited number of our lots at old prices on which to suit purchasers. See us if interested.

MOORE & MOORE

FOR SALE.—Near Baylor, my home, 4 large rooms, 2 large halls, bath and toilet, electric lights and newer connections. H. Lewis, 418 S. Austin St., both phones 1145.

FOR SALE.—120 acres fine black soil, 13 miles southwest Cleburne, Texas; cheap and small cash payment. Write Dr. J. H. Sweeney, Hicks Bldg., San Antonio, Tex., for full details.

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE.—5-room house, all conveniences, for quick sale, \$2500; terms, McMahony & Jewel, 1405 Amicable, new phone 50.

7-ROOM HOUSE on North 12th, close in, for immediate sale, \$4500; terms, McMahony & Jewel, 1405 Amicable, new phone 50.

FOR SALE.—5-room house on lot 7x165 feet, at 1008 Columbus St., price \$4500. Haney & Sweeney, 304 Amicable, phones 1129.

Real Estate For Sale.

20c COTTON LAND

Why grow cotton for 10 cents per pound on 100 land, when \$20 land will grow just as much LONG STAPLE COTTON which brings 20 to 30 cents per pound? Why farm where droughts are probable? RIVER COUNTY grows LONG STAPLE COTTON second to only one place in the world, and that one place is where there is a market for LONG STAPLE COTTON, and the Texas Almanac shows that it gets more than any other county in Texas except one, so see our list of bargains below and come to see us before they are all gone.

Good 4000 acres of Clarksville, 90 acres cultivation, all very level, only \$2750. One third cash, balance one, two and three years at 8 per cent.

1150 acres east of Waco, T. & P. Ry., 2 1/2 miles of Naples & Northwestern; small creek with fine stiff bottom timber runs through. No improvements, but fine, long-bodied virgin timber which will produce five to six thousand feet of lumber per acre, all hard wood. When timber is cut and sold at 10 cents per cord, it will be a fortune. Very level, still character dark soil, almost hammock, \$1350. Timber will pay for land. This must be sold in reason for cheap price. Fine proposition, for cut in a good place and sell at 10 cents per cord.

250 acres, 130 rich bottom, \$5 cultivation. Good 4000 acres of Clarksville, all fenced with hog proof wire, \$3250. Very attractive place.

230 acres, 900 cultivation, 140 black land creek bottom, fine growing crop, just ing crop, six miles from Clarksville, \$4000.

800 acres, 7 1/2 miles northwest Clarksville, 1000 cultivation, all fenced, 500 acres cotton, 500 acres corn, 500 acres soybeans, several tenant houses, good community, schools and churches near, \$1750. One day's work.

320 acres sandy land, 130 open, 100 cultivation, good crop, well located, first-class house, wells, schools, churches, etc., \$1350.

500 acres nine miles of Clarksville, good buy at \$1400.

MCDONALD-PENLAND CO.,
614 Amicable Bldg.

DEALS OVER \$5000—
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1—Large brick building, now used as a hotel, building 50x50 on a corner lot 125 deep. Owner will give a good deal for cash. Right party can make big money.

2—Two-story brick business house, well located, good for grain and stock. Special reason for selling at the price, \$4000.

3—Three buildings and large grounds, close in, will make a fine place for a residence. Owner will trade for a good residence property.

4—Good home on Austin street, large 2-story building, will sell right and take some trade. Might take some trade.

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6—Stock of merchandise that is a good investment. Let us tell you.

7—Large two-story home and all seven acres of land, good location.

8—We have some large houses, in different parts of the city that are being bought at right prices and terms. Tell us what you are in the market for and we will show you some good bargains.

9—Brick building on Katy track, that is well located; non-resident tells us to sell at once.

10—Who wants to buy or trade for a "Johnson grass proposition," that is worth "the money," and this is a good proposition for cattle will make some one big money? The land is the very best black land there is no richer land anywhere. See us for special price for quick sale or trade.

11—Excellent residence on N. 5th St., special price, \$2500.

12—10x165 on Franklin street, including a large house, only \$6000.

13—A very fine building on Bridge St., special \$2750.

14—11 good new houses, well located, houses new and well equipped, now bringing about \$200 each; might sell for \$2500 and make good terms and might take some trade.

15—See us about that 200 feet of track—see us about that has some good rent houses now on it; also about the track on the Katy with five houses that can be bought for \$2000.

We have all kinds of deals and will be glad to figure with you.

KLEIN & HIRSHFIELD
111 S. 5th St., P. O. Box 257.

WILL BUILD on your own plans on beautiful Colcord or Vermont St. lots. Easy payments. Box 124.

FOR SALE.—Ideal rooming or boarding house, on Austin St., close in; will take cash, \$2500, or \$500 down will turn; terms like rent, fine revenue proposition for some one. Box 428.

WE HAVE sold three houses on North 5th street past week and have one more that is going quick. This house is of stucco construction, 3 1/2 stories, a big, solid foundation; cool in summer and warm in winter; has all the city improvements. It is offered for less than it could be built for \$1200.

Five-room house, North Waco, nearly new; two lots, has gas and sewer; south front on Colcord; this is a bargain at \$2500; terms arranged.

Five-room house between Fifth and Sixth on Colcord, on corner, close in, right at car line. Of course, it is a bargain at \$2500. Terms.

For Exchange, house and two lots on Ruter street, corner facing south, one block of new \$12,000 school about to be completed. Car line likely to extend any time by the property. Will trade for rental property in South Waco. Craven Realty Co., 704 Amicable.

FOR SALE.—A 5-room up-to-date house, on paved street, all modern improvements; must sell, owner leaving the city. Address Owner, P. O. Box 416.

FOR SALE.—My home, a bargain for all cash; must sell. P. O. Box 124, city.

FOR SALE.—NORTH FIFTH ST. LOTS. Adjoining Cameron Park, the closest in improved lots in Waco, having cement sidewalks, curbing, sewers, lights, telephones and gas, natural shade on each lot, making them the most beautiful building lots in Waco. North Fifth St. lots have doubled in value in past 18 months. These lots will be better on account of extremely low prices, \$500 and up, adjoining lots selling from \$1000 to \$2000 without improvements. These lots have very improvement and convenience and are on the best car line in the city. Callahan Development Co., 118 N. 5th St.

WORKING. This is the only way to earn profits. Idle dollars pay no dividends. There is no safer, surer profit than in good real estate. With \$5000 the month you can secure a full sized city lot for \$175 to \$250 adjoining Highland Place, where lots sell from \$750 to \$1000 each, and where \$100,000 is being spent on modern improvements, where 15 new homes have been built, where you have good car service. Come and see; only limited number left to sell. A \$5 bill will start you on the road to a home.

CALLAHAN DEVELOPMENT CO.,
118 N. 5th St.

FOR SALE.—A new, modern bungalow, all conveniences, close in, two blocks from school, car line; will take a piano as first payment, and the balance like rent. Price only \$1800. Y. P. Garrett, 106 Amicable, 69 new phone.

325 ACRES deep black clay land in Colcord, 24 miles of interurban town; well improved, nothing better in Texas; liberal terms; can give possession January 1, if sold at once. Address Owner, Frank Clark, Ennis, Texas.

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No ad accepted for 3 insertions less than 25c.

No ad accepted for 7 insertions less than 40c.

The Sunday paper is counted as daily. Advertisements for Sunday paper to be properly classified must be in this office before 7 o'clock Saturday night.

The Morning News reserves the right to revise advertisements or reject and refund the amount paid.

Write plainly, making figures add initials carefully to prevent errors. If an error appears in your advertisement you will please call our attention to same after the first insertion.

No credit will be allowed for more than one insertion.

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CALL EITHER PHONE 1132 AND ASK FOR WANT AD DEPARTMENT.

Real Estate For Sale.

D. E. HIRSHFIELD.

Real Estate Broker, 1804 Amicable Bldg.
Offers the following for the consideration of investors:

25x165 feet vacant lot on Franklin near 12th St., \$2500.

100x165 feet, vacant lot, in business district, Franklin St.

200 ft. fronting Cotton Belt railroad, 20th St., big bargain, \$22,500.

200x165 feet, corner, trackage, Jackson and 20th Sts., \$3000.

100x165 feet, between 5th and 6th, on Jackson, \$10,000.

120x165 feet, on railroad track, between 11th and 12th Sts., \$8000.

100x165 feet, trackage on corner, between 10th and 12th streets, \$12,500.

Five 2-story, 10-room house, 116x165 feet, on a very nice lot, \$11,000, will trade for good land.

2-story, 11-room house, on South Side, 75x165 feet, will take a small home on the North Side as first payment; \$7200.

75x165 feet, 2-story new home, corner lot, every modern convenience; will take some trade, \$9500.

2-story business building, with good basement, to trade for fine farm worth \$25,000.

2-story frame home, on North 16th St., will take some trade, \$5000.

5-room home, on N. 12th St., 50x165 feet, \$2500.

5-room house, 50x165 feet, on James St., \$1000.

5-room house and acre of ground, shade trees and orchard, just off 2nd street and the side of Currier park, \$1650.

Five-room house with all conveniences, one-half block from N. 5th St. car line, \$2000.

60x165 feet, nice well arranged 5-room house, on Barnard St., \$4500.

50x165 feet, 5-room house, on Franklin St., \$2500.

Pretty home, 75x165 feet, 6 rooms, on N. 12th St., \$4750.

100x165 feet, on corner, containing one and half story 5 completed rooms, on Webster St., \$4500.

50x165 feet, 6-room cottage, close in on N. 9th St., \$3750.

100x165 ft. corner on Reservoir, 2-story modern new home; will take some trade; \$10,000.

Three fine corners, on Franklin St., close in. Call and investigate.

150x165 feet, beautiful Austin St. home; \$20,000.

Three beautiful corners, containing 2-story homes, on North 5th St. Call and investigate.

100x165 feet, 9-room 2-story home on N. 12th St., close in; \$5000.

75x165 feet, corner lot, on Austin St., \$1000.

100x165 feet, on Morrow, between 21st and 22nd, south front, building lot; \$3000.

100x165 feet, front on Washington St., 14000.

50x165 feet, being 15 lots on the south side, \$1500.

Five lots on Burnett St., fronting south, between 21st and 22nd Sts., \$800 for each.

Three lots, fronting Clay St., on Bell's Hill, near 22nd St., \$1600 for choice.

420x165 feet, on the North Side, a big bargain at \$2000.

If anything in homes or investments of any kind, whether for business or pleasure, see me. I have a large list of farm properties, ranches and colonization tracts, located all over Texas.

Five large lots, each with a large number of trading propositions. Both phones, D. E. Hirschfeld.

BARGAIN.—Can you appreciate values? If so, let me show you what I have on Colcord, where I have some special bargains; if sold immediately I can give prices much below their actual value. H. N. Fannin, Peyton Realty Co., 105 S. 5th St.

Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED.—At once, 5 or 6-room residence, from \$1000 to \$1500, on either N. 12th, 13th, 14th or 15th streets. Give location, size of house, price and terms in first letter. J. S. care of this paper.

Room and Board.

WANTED.—4 or 5 unfurnished rooms, with private family. H. L. Lynch, 408 Times Herald Bldg.

NICE large, comfortable rooms with board, 625 Jefferson St., new phone 2712.

FIRST-CLASS room and board; also table board. New phone 2102, old phone 425.

NOTICE.—Elegant furnished rooms with board; Dupree's residence, 709 S. 4th St., close in, pure artesian water. Both phones 475.

Lost, Found, Strayed, Etc.

LOST.—One piece of brown fur on 15th St., between Barnard and Columbus. Good reward. Return to 1721 Barnard and receive reward.

LOST.—Amethyst bar pin, with about 11 pearls. If found, call new phone 1807 for reward.

Professional.

MISS MINNIE OWENS, public stenographer and notary public, 1703 Astor.

Typewriters and Supplies.

EASY PAYMENTS. Address Morrison & Zoeller, South Premier Agency, 803 Franklin St., Houston, Texas.

Medical.

CANCERS, tumors, wens, ulcers, piles, fistula. Special treatment without knife. Write Dr. J. H. Sweeney, 418 S. Austin St.

HOME OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD.—Maternity cottage for women and girls. Waco, Texas; private and confidential terms. Old phone 1407 or write.

Seeds and Plants.

FALL SEEDS. REICHAERT & SCHULTE CO., THE TEXAS SEED HOUSE. Garden, field and flower seeds, fertilizers, poultry and stock supplies and Planet Jr. implements, incubators and brooders. 204-208 Milam Street. Phone—Preston 686, Auto A. 1886. Houston, Texas. Write for catalogue.

Trade and Exchange.

TO EXCHANGE.—Bell Hill lots, clear, \$2500 for residence. Johnson-Sharpe Realty Co. & Co., phones 212.

HOUSE FOR SALE or trade, 802 Calhoun St., also have two other houses on Calhoun St. will sell on installment plan. Old phone 329.

EXCHANGE or trade, pure English snow white runner ducks for pure blood Wyandotte young hens or pullets of equal value. W. C. Wilson's Poultry Farm, Navasota, Tex. \$100 reward for any other than snow white feathers on my farm.

TO EXCHANGE.—\$10,000 residence on two lots, clear, on 4th St., for black land near Waco. Johnson-Sharpe Realty Co. & Co., phone 212.

I HAVE FOR TRADE 40 acres of improved land, 2 1/2 miles from Waco. This is fine truck land and the improvements are good, with a good supply of water. See T. D. Merigier with Peyton Realty Co., 105 S. 5th St.

TO EXCHANGE.—\$10,000 2-story brick income near postoffice, for black land near Waco. Johnson-Sharpe Realty Co. & Co., phone 212.

FOR TRADE.—Small farm all in cultivation, for Waco residence. Address Farm, care of News.

AUSTIN ST. RESIDENCE and business property for trade. For terms, see our company stock. Box 134, News.

TO EXCHANGE.—\$10,000 laundry in Central Texas, fully equipped and doing good business, for 10 or 15 acres of land, or Johnson-Sharpe Realty Co. & Co., phone 212.

I HAVE A 40-horsepower, 5-passenger Buick automobile, worth \$750 cash, to take cash payment on two Farwell Heights lots. H. N. Fannin, with Peyton Realty Co. & Co., phone 212.

WILL TRADE good real estate or auto for Amicable or Southern Union stock. P. O. Box 428.

TO EXCHANGE.—\$1500 residence, clear, in Mart, for vacant lots in Waco. Johnson-Sharpe Realty Co. & Co., phone 212.

HUNTER'S heavy hauling is gaining fast in popularity. Come and see. Princess Garret Realty Co., 411 Littlefield Bldg., Austin, Tex.

JUDAS ISCARIOT HIS SUBJECT

REV. CHAPPELL SAYS BETRAYER
WAS NOT ALTOGETHER
BAD.

ENORMITY OF SECRET SINS

Ugly Sins Repulsive, but a Half-hid-
den Sin Caused Judas' Down-
fall, Preacher Declares.

"Give me power to live true if my life is only an hour; give me courage to face forward when the world puts on its show; give me strength to be a martyr but kill me before I should be a traitor; let me sleep or stab before I shall betray with a kiss, for the greatest sinner is not the drunkard, thief or murderer. The greatest sinner is the man who has let the subtle sin of covetousness fester in his heart until it has eaten out the core. Thieves and drunkards are but the specimens of such sin."

This was the plea of Rev. Ashley Chappell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, at the close of his sermon yesterday morning on "Judas and His Betrayal of Christ." The text was taken from John 13:30: "He then having received the sop went immediately out; and it was night."

Cold Facts Unattractive.

"There is nothing so unattractive to the average man or woman as cold abstract facts," said Pastor Chappell in beginning. "They may be couched in epigrams but no teacher has been great in the mind of the world who dealt alone in dry facts. A characteristic of Jesus as a great teacher was that He taught facts with life. The merchant prince who wants to get more advertising in an hour than in a year by ordinary methods puts a live person in the show window. The fundamental facts of Jesus' teachings was that He did not rattle the dry bones of fact in our lives but put on the scene the moving pictures of life."

In the life of Judas is exemplified one of the most touching tragedies of the universe as a testimony of the little sin that grows from a secret fester to the most heinous and deadly of all sins, said the preacher. He stressed the fact that Judas was not to be thought of as a traitor, and having been a man trained after Jewish Christ faith and an associate with the Christ himself. No story reads with so many tears, said the preacher, Judas a Man of Capacity.

Judas was a man of capability and power and was chosen a disciple of Jesus, but Judas went to the depths of wickedness. He entertained the sin that made him a grim ruin; that made him walk over his lord and betray him—made him a traitor. The sad thing about a traitor is that he can not betray unless he has held a position of honor, has been a member of the commonwealth, said Rev. Chappell.

"The ugliest sins that are naked and open ones are not so great as the little polished sin that is half hid. The sin of imagination is the greatest of all. Ugly sins are repulsive but the half hidden sin is more and consumes from the inside. Jesus passed through Judas' life one day and chose him. Jesus knew what Judas was to become, but Christ chose him for what he was. Foreknowledge must not be confused with foreboding. Judas was bathed in the sun light of the glory of Christ, yet because of the little sin that festered Judas became the traitor of his lord and the greatest sinner of the world."

The Better Side of Judas.

"Judas chose Jesus when He was a plain itinerant preacher, without prestige and whose parentage was questioned. Judas became a disciple when the Son of Man had no place to lay His head. This is one of the bright sides of the betrayer's life. Let us not think too ill of Judas for he was not bad until there slipped into his life the little sin that grew and consumed. A little covetousness grew until the rim of a dollar became the horizon of the world to Judas."

"It is the tendency of a life that counts. A ship may be off its course and it sails along and gets more and more off. When the blackening storm arises the ship is lost. It is not so much the fact of the distance off from the course, but simply the fact that it was off course. It is recorded that Judas broke but one of the commandments—the first one—and he was not a drunkard, nor a thief, but he is chief of sinners. His sin was so mammoth that self-murder followed; his crime was so black that his name is synonymous with ignominy. Who is chief sinner, the unfaithful Christian or the murderer?"

The Wreck of Character.

"There is no wreck like the wreck of character," the speaker declared. He illustrated by telling of the apparently sound houses of Africa that fall to pieces without warning. Judas was like the timber is perfectly safe looking to the eye but the very heart of the wood has been eaten out by the white ants."

"Let the moments of earth crumble back to the earth for they stand for the wreck of thrones is but a farce comely to the ruin of character. He ate the heart out of Judas—the little sin that grew."

"Men are apt to think that there could be but one betrayer of Christ and that Jesus does not now live, but men may yet be traitors to Christ, declared the speaker. The amount of Judas' reward for the betrayal was about \$30, but it would make no difference if it had been \$10,000 insisted the preacher, for it was the fact that he had a price and not the amount of the price."

"Judas hangs in the devil's show window with a price tag of \$10 around his neck. The dreariest cry that shall arise from the pit will be 'just sold'—just sold, and the price will not be mentioned."

All men have in them the elements that will make queens or kings of usefulness or that will make traitors like Judas to betray the Son of Man, declared the minister.

See him at the Amicable Pool Parlor, 420 Austin street.

INGRAM'S TEXT PRODIGAL SON

PARABLE POINTS THE WAY BY
WHICH ALL MUST SEEK
SALVATION.

REFLECT, RESOLVE AND ACT

Steps Are Enumerated by Which
Wanderer Returns to Father's
Mansion.

The revival which has been in progress at the Central Presbyterian church for the past two weeks was closed yesterday morning. The services were featured by special music by the choir and by soloists of the congregation.

The pastor, Rev. E. E. Ingram, took for his text the parable of the prodigal son, from the fifteenth chapter of Luke: "And when he came to himself, he said 'How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger. I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven and before thee, and am no more worthy to be called thy son: make me as one of thy hired servants.' And he arose and came to his father."

Basis of Religion.

"Religion is founded on certain self-evident axioms," said Mr. Ingram. "Just as in mathematics, the whole science is based on certain truths which are assumed to be self-evident, so in religion. The axioms of religion are that God desires the salvation of all mankind, and that all mankind are desirous of receiving salvation. There are some men, possibly, who do not want salvation; but they are not normal men. They are freaks of nature, just as a tree whose body is twisted and warped out of shape. All men want to be saved, no matter how far they have wandered from the truth, or how deeply they be steeped in sin. Is it not logical to suppose that when men want to be saved, and God wants them saved, that there should be a clear and plain means to this salvation which God has provided?"

As Pointed Out by Luke.

"The way is pointed out in the parable of the prodigal son, as told by the apostle Luke. The son, who in this story was in poverty and wretchedness, found the path which brought him again to his father's house, the same by which all sinners may reach salvation."

"There were four steps in his progress."

"The first step was reflection. 'When he came to himself,' says the parable, he began to see the depths to which he had fallen. The first place that the work of grace strikes is the head. A man's salvation must be through his intelligence as well as through his heart. Salvation which touches only the emotions is liable to weaken in later years, and the man is liable to drift away. To produce lasting results, salvation must come only after deliberate reflection."

The Devil's Service.

"Reflect, young men, and old men, too, on the course of life you are now pursuing, and on the objects you are devoting to attain. If you are in the devil's service, what do you expect to get out of it? The best you may look for is a wrecked life on earth, and eternally spent away from God. It is a business proposition. Consider the value of the investment, your life. What return in this world do you expect, and what reward in the next?"

"If you had the opportunity of spending your life on earth in the penitentiary or in any other place you might choose, would you delay long? Think of the dramatic scene enacted at the courthouse only last week, when the jury brought in the verdict pronouncing a life sentence on Bud Reed, dooming him to spend the rest of his days behind prison walls. If he had the opportunity to make a free choice, would he not have chosen to remain in the outside world, with good people, instead of in the penitentiary with thieves and rascals? That is the choice before every man when he considers his salvation—on the one side, an eternity spent with God, on the other hand, eternity away from Him."

Lacking in Resolution.

"The second step taken by the prodigal son was resolution. He said, 'I will arise and go unto my father. Ninety-nine out of every one hundred men and women in Waco have made resolutions to seek salvation at one time or another, and they are still unsaved. The prodigal son was a man of courage, he backed up his convictions by prompt action. The most cowardly thing in the world is to serve the devil, and turn your back on God. Is it a manly attitude to give the devil all the fragrance of the rose then turn to God with the shattered flower and ask Him to save it?"

"The third step was execution. 'He arose and went unto his father.' When you go from church to your Sunday dinner do you stand about the table and say, 'Yes, I think that I'll eat some of that?' You don't deliberate till you starve to death—you sit down and eat. You can talk about seeking salvation, and talk till Gabriel blows his horn, but talk will never save you. You must act, and as the prodigal son did, arise and go unto your father."

"The fourth step is to be content with an humble position in the Father's service. The prodigal son, when he returned to his father, said 'Make me as one of thy hired servants.'"

As it was with the prodigal son, so with every sinner who returns to God—there is a warm welcome, and great rejoicing awaiting him."

Union labor welcome at the Amicable Pool Parlor, 420 Austin street.

SEEK REST IN JESUS ALONE

REV. F. N. CALVIN'S INJUNCTION
TO A LARGE CONGREGATION.

HOW HAPPINESS COMES

Peace, Rest, Love and Hope Cannot
Be Generated Outside of the
Heart, He Says.

At the morning service at the Central Christian church yesterday the pastor, Rev. F. N. Calvin, read as his text portions of the fifth chapter of John, and the seventh and eleventh chapters of Matthew. He directed his discourse into the discussion of the fact that "Every effect has an adequate cause," quoting the scriptures to emphasize this point.

In this connection he said in part: "It is true that every cause has its effect, as much as every effect must have a cause. For instance we pray for peace, for rest, for joy. Praying for any of these things will not bring them. Are they things which God can give us? Are they external entities that may be passed from one person to another? When Jesus says, 'My peace I give unto you,' does He mean peace I give in trade and exchange? He actually in trade and exchange, does He not rather teach that He puts man in the direct line of acquiring peace, such as He enjoyed? An analysis of the conditions or causes of peace would be some of rest, some of joy, some of faith and some of hope."

Must Be Acquired.

"Peace, rest, love, hope are not something that can be transmitted from without—something that can be put on and off like a garment. They must be acquired by knowledge. The teacher cannot give you knowledge, no matter how far they have wandered from the truth, or how deeply they be steeped in sin. Is it not logical to suppose that when men want to be saved, and God wants them saved, that there should be a clear and plain means to this salvation which God has provided?"

An Orderly World.

"That this is an orderly world and is governed by law can be exemplified by illustration. That is how the grain grows; how bread is made; how a house is built and how land is drained, etc."

"It is most unreasonable to think that God would create an orderly physical world and leave spiritual matters to chance. A careful study of Jesus' teachings both in words and example show that the spiritual world is governed by laws as really and in many instances similar to the physical world. A failure to recognize this often leads to mystification and confusion. The texts show Jesus' teaching, and a careful study of His life will show how He illustrates these teachings. The fact is Jesus taught more by His life than by words. He did not say much about rest, peace, joy, love and hope, but lived these things. So if one desires to know what they are and the laws governing them he needs to study carefully the life of Jesus."

Cause and Effect.

"Again, does the law of cause and effect apply to the problems of life? The natural world there is a law that every effect has an adequate cause. 'Nothing from nothing comes.' Are there not really two causes to every effect, direct and indirect causes? We speak of them as occasion and cause. With these fundamentals we are ready to build our structure. Love may rest, peace, joy, hope, faith, love be experienced? There are two views the mystical and the practical. Many good people want rest of soul, hope and peace, but they do not know how to get it. It is to pray for it, that God will give it from without. This experience is not something external to us—something without something that can be put on like a garment. Many strive for these things and are surprised that they do not attain them, but they do not strive lawfully, in the right way. Many want peace, hope and joy as they want an education, but are not willing to pay the price."

"Jesus tells us how to obtain rest. In Matthew, eleventh chapter and twenty-eighth verse, when He says, 'Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.' From this we learn that the way to rest is to enjoy peace, love and hope and to be joyous is to be learned by setting into motion the laws governing these things and these laws may be learned by a study of Jesus' life."

"Do you want what the Christian life gives? Live it. 'Christianity is to teach us how to live, its curriculum is 'Learn of Me.' Five conversions were had at the service yesterday and last night and at the evening services baptism was had."

QUIT THROG FOR PRACTICE

Cops Go Sleuthing and "Efficiency Conference" Is Side-tracked.

At the hour set for discussing their efficiency yesterday afternoon the police were busily engaged in an effort to manifest their efficiency. A number of the cops had been assigned to an important case that came under the purview of the department Saturday and they were too deeply absorbed in it and therefore could not be present at the meeting.

A Correction.

In the Graham-Jarrell ad Sunday, through a typographical error, the term "second class floor fixtures" was used.

This should have read "Second floor fixtures." For instead of being second class, these fixtures are the best that modern fixture manufacturers can make.

Meet Next Sunday.

The police efficiency meeting was postponed until next Sunday, at which time the meeting promises to be an interesting one. Postponement was made because it was particularly desired to have those detailed to work on the case of robbery committed Saturday and therefore not be present at the meeting.

EARTH PLACE TO DEVELOP STAMINA

REV. KNICKERBOCKER SPEAKS
ON BUILDING RUGGED
CHARACTER.

DOVE WINGS ARE NO GOOD

Must Not Fly From Trials—God
Teaches to Fight Instead of
to Flee.

"I believe that every wrong that touches humanity is but a call to good," said Rev. H. W. Knickerbocker in a sermon at the Austin Avenue Methodist church last night on "Character and Wings." Dr. Knickerbocker is pastor of the Central Methodist church of Fort Worth and is a brother of Rev. H. D. Knickerbocker, the pastor here.

The sermon was based upon the experiences of David, and the text was taken from the 55th division of the Psalms, "Oh, that I had wings like a dove; for then would I fly away and be at rest."

Holiness Before Happiness.

The fact that God never hesitates to sacrifice happiness for holiness accounts for His failure to answer David's plea for a chance to escape the circumstances that surround him, said Dr. Knickerbocker. "Benevolence and love is back of God's failure to answer David's prayer. He wants to preserve character rather than to give wings. I believe that just so long as there is rebellion with hardships and trials, just so is it an indication of the need of such tests. The desire to get rid of the storm of the need for the struggles. Lawyers, merchants and newspaper men, and men of all vocations think that it is most difficult in their lines to live the Christian life. But the man who has not fought his way through the storm of doubt to the shore of faith can never know the glory of conviction, the minister declared."

Material for Heroes.

"The rammy-pammy, placid, easy-going kind of people never do anything to change the world. It is the men of vice that makes strong men, but it is the overcoming of the temptations. I had rather be a thief or a murderer than a man who does nothing, for the world is made up of men of this caliber than of the ordinary type."

Earth Place to Develop.

The speaker declared that the earth is a better place to develop character than heaven itself, for men here are in the process of making and there they have entered into the glory of perfection. "It is the crucible of the world, the world alone that will form a rugged character. No man ever suffers intrinsically from another's hand for both ruin and recovery are from within. I believe that every wrong that touches humanity is but a call to good. God refused to answer David's prayer because He wanted his character developed."

"Through the millions of ages one can see in the telescope of evolution the world has been made into its beauty by the processes of seething as a heat mass, by bursting volcanoes and the changing conditions of soil. The trials and tests with which God cuts character will be cast aside like the home of the sculptor, but the statue of character will remain immortal."

Reading Room. You will find all daily papers for your perusal at the Amicable Pool Parlor, 420 Austin street.

SMITH'S CALL TO DEAF MUTES

Their Exhibits at Cotton Palace on November 8 Will Speak for Them.

The deaf of Texas will have another exhibit of their work at the Texas Cotton Palace and exposition this year.

The exhibit by the deaf mutes last year was a great success and there is no question that those displays do a great deal for the deaf mute as a class.

Tilden Smith, secretary of the Texas Deaf Mute Exhibit association, has issued this call to the deaf: "If you have any exhibit, please send it to us not later than October 25. We want to show the public what the deaf can do. The Cotton Palace association has honored us greatly by setting aside a day for us, Saturday, November 8, 'Deaf Mutes Day,' and every mute of Texas is urgently requested to attend the exposition on the above day. Remember the day, Deaf Mutes Day, Saturday, November 8, and be on hand. Let's make it a great reunion time. The glad hand awaits you. The day will be a gala day."

The day is also set aside for Traveling Men's Day and Woman's Day, and be on hand. Let's make it a great reunion time. The glad hand awaits you. The day will be a gala day."

Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Our Great October Silk Sale Commences This Morning in Our New Silk Room

The annual October Silk Sale at the Sanger Store is a well established event and each year it has assumed greater proportions. This is the first of these annual events to take place in the big new Silk Room—and with the larger space and greater and more varied stocks that we are carrying in this new section of the store, we are splendidly ready for the October Silk Sale of 1913.

Our Silk buyers, both in New York and at home have spent months in preparing for this sale—the enormous buying power and the prestige of that power have been brought into play in securing the best quality of Silks, the newest and most wanted weaves, at prices so low that they are not and will not be duplicated for the same high quality Silks by any other store.

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS FOR THE OCTOBER SILK SALE GIVE YOU SOME IDEA OF THE PRICES, BUT TO APPRECIATE THE GREAT VALUES THAT ARE COUPLED WITH THESE PRICES YOU MUST SEE THE SILKS THEMSELVES.

18-INCH FANCY STRIPE SILK MESSALINE DRESS SILK—In a fine range of good Fall colors and combinations; 60¢ value; October Silk Sale, a yard 39c	POON VELVET—18 inches wide, in all the new Fall shades, for trimming and millinery use. Value 85¢ a yard, October Silk Sale, at per yard 59c	FANCY DRESS SILKS—26 inches wide, in stripes, checks, novelty weaves, corded satins, plaids, in a large and comprehensive line of Dress Silks, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. October Silk Sale, a yard 83c
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40-INCH PRINTED CHIFFONS, BEADED CHIFFONS, BORDERED MARQUISSETTES AND NOVELTY DRESS SILKS—A collection of Silk fabrics, suitable for party Waists, Draperies, Tunics, Party Dresses, Frocks and Church Dresses. Values \$5c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. October Silk Sale, a yard 65c	54-INCH BLACK DRESS SATIN—Extra heavy, fine quality. Regular price \$3.00 a yard. October Silk Sale, a yard \$2.37	NOVELTY TAILOR SILK SUITINGS AND BENGALINES—In a wide range of new Autumn colors, pin stripes and two tones. Values \$1.50 and \$1.75 a yard. October Silk Sale, at \$1.33
	26-INCH BLACK JACQUARD DRESS SILK—In several very desirable designs. Extra good \$1.00 quality. October Silk Sale, a yard 79c	40-INCH CHARMUSE SATIN—In all the leading new Fall shades; black and cream. Extra value \$2 a yard. October Silk Sale \$1.59

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Expert Will Make Chemical Analysis of Contents of Organs of Children. Money Is Recovered and a Full Statement of All the Facts in the Case Is Made. Other Faithful Officers of the Local Council Are Elevated by Knights.

The expert analytical chemist employed to make a scientific quest to determine the cause of the death of the two children of J. W. Etheridge of Bosque county last Thursday will begin his gruesome and complicated search today.

The chemical analysis of the contents of the stomachs and livers of the two ill-fated boys, one five, the other nine years of age, will be made by Prof. Samuel R. Spencer of the chemistry department of Baylor university. The examination of the contents of the organs involves much time, skill and labor.

May Report Wednesday.

It is improbable that the examination will be completed and Professor Spencer be prepared to deliver his report to the county authorities of Bosque until Wednesday night. The chemical analysis will consume even a longer time if, when the poison tests are applied to the precipitate thrown off in the process of boiling the organs, it is shown that the children had not died from arsenical poisoning but from strychnine.

Look First for Arsenic.

It is understood that Professor Spencer, in view of the circumstance of the finding of a package containing arsenical poison in the Etheridge home, is proceeding first on the theory that the children were killed by taking into their bodies that same poison. When it is known, or assumed, in a case of this character that death was caused by a certain specific poison, the work of the chemist is greatly simplified. He knows exactly what tests to apply to the precipitate.

Blind Search Difficult.

When the character of the poison is not known then the chemist must enter upon a complicated and frequently baffling search.

Dr. McDonald of Meridian, the physician who brought the organs of the children to Professor Spencer, will arrive here tomorrow or Wednesday, it is believed. Dr. Comton, who also figured in the treatment of the unfortunate little boys when their condition was discovered by their father and stepmother, is also expected here.

Wanted You to Spend

Your leisure time in the reading room of the Amicable Pool Parlor, 420 Austin street.

NEFF SPEAKS AT Y. M. C. A.

"Our Country's Flag" His Subject. Judge Rowe, White Slave Crusader, Next.

The first of the afternoon meetings of the Y. M. C. A. in the remodeled building were begun yesterday afternoon, Pat Neff being the speaker. Mr. Neff took as his subject "Our Country's Flag." There were about two hundred and fifty men present; and Dr. Neff was congratulated by many. The meeting next Sunday afternoon will be addressed by A. Iwaya of Japan.

One of the principal addresses of the series to be delivered by out of town speakers will be the address of Judge Clifford Rowe of Chicago. Judge Rowe was personally interested in the fight on the white slave traffic in his home city. The campaign was a notable one in which the slave traffic was in great measure overcome. Besides being a speaker of note, Judge Rowe is one of the leading figures in purity reform.

Christian Endeavor Tonight.

The regular monthly meeting of the Christian Endeavor will be held tonight. The meeting will take place in Christian Central church at 8 p. m. Business matters for the last month will be considered.

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